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Fill in this information to identify your case:		
United States Bankruptcy Court for the:		
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF ILLINOIS		
Case number (if known)	Chapter you are filing under:	
	☐ Chapter 7	
	☐ Chapter 11	
	☐ Chapter 12	
	Chapter 13	☐ Check if this an amended filing

## Official Form 101

# **Voluntary Petition for Individuals Filing for Bankruptcy**

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The bankruptcy forms use you and Debtor 1 to refer to a debtor filing alone. A married couple may file a bankruptcy case together—called a *joint case*—and in joint cases, these forms use you to ask for information from both debtors. For example, if a form asks, "Do you own a car," the answer would be yes if either debtor owns a car. When information is needed about the spouses separately, the form uses *Debtor 1* and *Debtor 2* to distinguish between them. In joint cases, one of the spouses must report information as *Debtor 1* and the other as *Debtor 2*. The same person must be *Debtor 1* in all of the forms.

Be as complete and accurate as possible. If two married people are filing together, both are equally responsible for supplying correct information. If more space is needed, attach a separate sheet to this form. On the top of any additional pages, write your name and case number (if known). Answer every question.

Par	t 1: Identify Yourself		
		About Debtor 1:	About Debtor 2 (Spouse Only in a Joint Case):
1.	Your full name		
	Write the name that is on your government-issued picture identification (for example, your driver's license or passport).  Bring your picture identification to your meeting with the trustee.	Benjimen First name  J Middle name  Pratola, Sr.  Last name and Suffix (Sr., Jr., II, III)	Cherlyn First name  A Middle name  Pratola  Last name and Suffix (Sr., Jr., II, III)
2.	All other names you have used in the last 8 years Include your married or maiden names.		
3.	Only the last 4 digits of your Social Security number or federal Individual Taxpayer Identification number (ITIN)	xxx-xx-6481	xxx-xx-3673

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		About Debtor 1:	About Debtor 2 (Spouse Only in a Joint Case):			
4. Any business names and Employer Identification Numbers (EIN) you have used in the last 8 years Include trade names and doing business as names		■ I have not used any business name or EINs.  Business name(s)  EINs	■ I have not used any business name or EINs.  Business name(s)  EINs			
5.	Where you live	670 Regal Lane Algonquin, IL 60102 Number, Street, City, State & ZIP Code	If Debtor 2 lives at a different address:  Number, Street, City, State & ZIP Code			
		McHenry County	County			
		If your mailing address is different from the one above, fill it in here. Note that the court will send any notices to you at this mailing address.	If Debtor 2's mailing address is different from yours, fill it in here. Note that the court will send any notices to this mailing address.			
		Number, P.O. Box, Street, City, State & ZIP Code	Number, P.O. Box, Street, City, State & ZIP Code			
Why you are choosing this district to file for bankruptcy		Check one:  Over the last 180 days before filing this petition, I have lived in this district longer than in any other district.  I have another reason. Explain. (See 28 U.S.C. § 1408.)	Check one:  Over the last 180 days before filing this petition, I have lived in this district longer than in any other district.  I have another reason. Explain. (See 28 U.S.C. § 1408.)			

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Par	t 2:	Tell the Court About	Your Bank	cruptcy Ca	ase					
7.	The	chapter of the	Check one. (For a brief description of each, see Notice Required by 11 U.S.C. § 342(b) for Individuals Filing for Bankruptcy (Form 2010)). Also, go to the top of page 1 and check the appropriate box.							
		choosing to file under		oter 7	go to the top of page 1 and o	nook tho	арргорпаю вох.			
			☐ Chap							
			☐ Chap							
			_ `	ter 13						
			— Onap	NOT TO						
8.	How	you will pay the fee	ab ord	out how yo	entire fee when I file my pe ou may pay. Typically, if you a attorney is submitting your pa address.	re paying	the fee yourself, y	ou may pay with cash, cashie	er's check, or money	
					y the fee in installments. If y e in Installments (Official Form		e this option, sign a	and attach the Application for	Individuals to Pay	
			□ I re	equest tha t is not req	nt my fee be waived (You ma uired to, waive your fee, and i	y reques may do s	only if your incom	ne is less than 150% of the of	ficial poverty line that	
					ur family size and you are una on to Have the Chapter 7 Filin					
9.	Have	you filed for	■ No.							
		ruptcy within the B years?	☐ Yes.							
				District		When		Case number		
				District		_ When		Case number		
				District		_ When		Case number		
10.		any bankruptcy	□No							
	filed not f you,	s pending or being by a spouse who is iling this case with or by a business ner, or by an ate?	■ Yes.						an a dahtan	
				Debtor	Christopher V. Pratola			Relationship to you	son, co-debtor on sutdent loan	
				District	Northern District of Illinois	When	4/13/17	Case number, if known	17-11668	
				Debtor				Relationship to you		
				District		_ When		Case number, if known		
11.		ou rent your	■ No.	Go to I	ine 12.					
	resid	lence?	☐ Yes.	Has yo	our landlord obtained an evicti	on judgm	ent against you?			
			_ ,		No. Go to line 12.		- ,			
						t About a	n Eviction Judgmei	nt Against You (Form 101A) a	and file it as part of	
					this bankruptcy petition.					

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Benjimen J Pratola, Sr.

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		ISINESSES	You Own as a Sole Proprie	tor					
12.	Are you a sole proprietor of any full- or part-time business?	■ No.	No. Go to Part 4.						
		☐ Yes.	Yes. Name and location of business						
	A sole proprietorship is a business you operate as an individual, and is not a separate legal entity such as a corporation, partnership, or LLC.		Name of business, if any						
	If you have more than one sole proprietorship, use a separate sheet and attach		Number, Street, City, Sta	tte & ZIP Code					
	it to this petition.		Check the appropriate bo	ox to describe your business:					
			☐ Health Care Busi	ness (as defined in 11 U.S.C. § 101(27A))					
			☐ Single Asset Rea	I Estate (as defined in 11 U.S.C. § 101(51B))					
			☐ Stockbroker (as defined in 11 U.S.C. § 101(53A))						
			☐ Commodity Broke	er (as defined in 11 U.S.C. § 101(6))					
			☐ None of the above	e					
13.	Are you filing under Chapter 11 of the Bankruptcy Code and are you a small business debtor?	er 11 of the deadlines. If you indicate that you are a small business debtor, you must attach your most recent balance sheet, st operations, cash-flow statement, and federal income tax return or if any of these documents do not exist, follow the in 11 U.S.C. 1116(1)(B).							
	For a definition of small	■ No.	I am not filing under Cha	pter 11.					
	business debtor, see 11 U.S.C. § 101(51D).	□ No.	I am filing under Chapter Code.	11, but I am NOT a small business debtor according to the definition in the Bankruptcy					
		☐ Yes.	I am filing under Chapter	11 and I am a small business debtor according to the definition in the Bankruptcy Code.					
Par	t 4: Report if You Own or	Have Any	Hazardous Property or An	ny Property That Needs Immediate Attention					
14.	Do you own or have any	■ No.							
	property that poses or is alleged to pose a threat	☐ Yes.							
	of imminent and	<b>—</b> 103.	What is the hazard?						
	identifiable hazard to public health or safety?								
	Or do you own any		If increasing a structure in						
	property that needs immediate attention?		If immediate attention is needed, why is it needed?						
	For example, do you own perishable goods, or livestock that must be fed, or a building that needs urgent repairs?		Where is the property?						
				Number, Street, City, State & Zip Code					

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Part 5:

**Explain Your Efforts to Receive a Briefing About Credit Counseling** 

#### Tell the court whether you have received a briefing about credit counseling.

The law requires that you receive a briefing about credit counseling before you file for bankruptcy. You must truthfully check one of the following choices. If you cannot do so, you are not eligible to file.

If you file anyway, the court can dismiss your case, you will lose whatever filing fee you paid, and your creditors can begin collection activities again.

#### About Debtor 1:

You must check one:

I received a briefing from an approved credit counseling agency within the 180 days before I filed this bankruptcy petition, and I received a certificate of completion.

Attach a copy of the certificate and the payment plan, if any, that you developed with the agency.

I received a briefing from an approved credit counseling agency within the 180 days before I filed this bankruptcy petition, but I do not have a certificate of completion.

Within 14 days after you file this bankruptcy petition, you MUST file a copy of the certificate and payment plan, if any.

I certify that I asked for credit counseling services from an approved agency, but was unable to obtain those services during the 7 days after I made my request, and exigent circumstances merit a 30-day temporary waiver of the requirement.

To ask for a 30-day temporary waiver of the requirement, attach a separate sheet explaining what efforts you made to obtain the briefing, why you were unable to obtain it before you filed for bankruptcy, and what exigent circumstances required you to file this case.

Your case may be dismissed if the court is dissatisfied with your reasons for not receiving a briefing before you filed for bankruptcy. If the court is satisfied with your reasons, you must still receive a briefing within 30 days after you file. You must file a certificate from the approved agency, along with a copy of the payment plan you developed, if any. If you do not do so, your case may be dismissed.

Any extension of the 30-day deadline is granted only for cause and is limited to a maximum of 15 days.

□ I am not required to receive a briefing about credit counseling because of:

## ☐ Incapacity.

I have a mental illness or a mental deficiency that makes me incapable of realizing or making rational decisions about finances.

## Disability.

My physical disability causes me to be unable to participate in a briefing in person, by phone, or through the internet, even after I reasonably tried to do so.

#### ☐ Active duty.

I am currently on active military duty in a military combat zone.

If you believe you are not required to receive a briefing about credit counseling, you must file a motion for waiver credit counseling with the court.

## About Debtor 2 (Spouse Only in a Joint Case):

You must check one:

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represent	attorney, if you are ed by one	I, the attorney for the deb under Chapter 7, 11, 12, for which the person is eli	or 13 of title 11, Unitigible. I also certify	ed States Code, and h	nave exp	lained the relief a	vailable under each c equired by 11 U.S.C.	chapter § 342(b)
•	not represented by ey, you do not need a page.	and, in a case in which § schedules filed with the p		s, certify that I have no	knowled	lge after an inquir	y that the information	in the
		/s/ Derrick B. Hager Signature of Attorney for	Debtor	Date	_	May 11, 2018 MM / DD / YYYY		

Signature of Attorney for Debtor		MM / DD / YYYY
Derrick B. Hager 6286310		
Derrick b. Hager, P.C.		
245 W. Roosevelt Rd. Building 15, Suite 119 West Chicago, IL 60185		
Number, Street, City, State & ZIP Code		
Contact phone 630-587-7490	Email address	dirkhager@sbcglobal.net
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Fill in this inform	ation to identify your	case:				
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	First Name	Middle Name	Last Name			
Debtor 2	Cherlyn A Pratola	1				
(Spouse if, filing)	First Name	Middle Name	Last Name			
United States Ban	kruptcy Court for the:	NORTHERN DISTRICT	OF ILLINOIS			
Case number						
(if known)						

## Official Form 106Sum

## Summary of Your Assets and Liabilities and Certain Statistical Information

Be as complete and accurate as possible. If two married people are filing together, both are equally responsible for supplying correct information. Fill out all of your schedules first; then complete the information on this form. If you are filing amended schedules after you file your original forms, you must fill out a new *Summary* and check the box at the top of this page.

	Your a	ssets of what you own
Schedule A/B: Property (Official Form 106A/B)  1a. Copy line 55, Total real estate, from Schedule A/B	\$	270,000.00
1b. Copy line 62, Total personal property, from Schedule A/B	\$	864,330.00
1c. Copy line 63, Total of all property on Schedule A/B	\$	1,134,330.00
t 2: Summarize Your Liabilities		
		i <b>abilities</b> at you owe
Schedule D: Creditors Who Have Claims Secured by Property (Official Form 106D)  2a. Copy the total you listed in Column A, Amount of claim, at the bottom of the last page of Part 1 of Schedule D	\$	224,344.00
Schedule E/F: Creditors Who Have Unsecured Claims (Official Form 106E/F) 3a. Copy the total claims from Part 1 (priority unsecured claims) from line 6e of Schedule E/F	\$	0.00
3b. Copy the total claims from Part 2 (nonpriority unsecured claims) from line 6j of Schedule E/F	\$	287,340.30
Your total liabilities	\$	511,684.30
t 3: Summarize Your Income and Expenses		
Schedule I: Your Income (Official Form 106I) Copy your combined monthly income from line 12 of Schedule I	\$	6,662.46
Schedule J: Your Expenses (Official Form 106J) Copy your monthly expenses from line 22c of Schedule J	\$	6,411.90
t 4: Answer These Questions for Administrative and Statistical Records		
Are you filing for bankruptcy under Chapters 7, 11, or 13?  No. You have nothing to report on this part of the form. Check this box and submit this form to the court with you	ır other sc	hedules.
■ Yes What kind of debt do you have?		
	1a. Copy line 55, Total real estate, from Schedule A/B	Schedule A/B: Property (Official Form 106A/B)  1a. Copy line 55, Total real estate, from Schedule A/B

Your debts are not primarily consumer debts. You have nothing to report on this part of the form. Check this box and submit this form to

the court with your other schedules.

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8. **From the** *Statement of Your Current Monthly Income*: Copy your total current monthly income from Official Form 122A-1 Line 11; **OR**, Form 122B Line 11; **OR**, Form 122C-1 Line 14.

5,911.86

9. Copy the following special categories of claims from Part 4, line 6 of Schedule E/F:

	Total	claim
From Part 4 on Schedule E/F, copy the following:		
9a. Domestic support obligations (Copy line 6a.)	\$	0.00
9b. Taxes and certain other debts you owe the government. (Copy line 6b.)	\$	0.00
9c. Claims for death or personal injury while you were intoxicated. (Copy line 6c.)	\$	0.00
9d. Student loans. (Copy line 6f.)	\$	187,642.00
9e. Obligations arising out of a separation agreement or divorce that you did not report as priority claims. (Copy line 6g.)	\$	0.00
9f. Debts to pension or profit-sharing plans, and other similar debts. (Copy line 6h.)	+\$	0.00
9g. <b>Total.</b> Add lines 9a through 9f.	\$	187,642.00

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nfor Answ	mation. If more wer every questi	space is needed, on.	attach a separate sl	neet to th	nis form. On the	e are filing together, both are e top of any additional pages on or Have an Interest In				
	No. Go to Part 2									
1.1	670 Regal L	ane		What		? Check all that apply				
		available, or other de	scription	Duplex or multi-unit building the amoun				educt secured claims or exemptions. Put int of any secured claims on <i>Schedule D:</i> Who Have Claims Secured by Property.		
	Algonquin	IL	60102-0000		Land	or mobile home	Current value of entire property?	F	Current value of the portion you own?	
	City	State	ZIP Code		Investment pro Timeshare	operty	\$270,00		\$270,000.00	
					Other	in the property? Check one		ple, tenano	r ownership interest by by the entireties, or	
	M-11						Joint tenant			
	McHenry County				Debtor 2 only					
	County			_	Debtor 1 and [	the debtors and another	Check if this		unity property	
				Other		ou wish to add about this ite	`	<i>-</i> ,		
				FMV	based on C	CMA \$280,00 reduced f	or deferred ma	intenand	ce	

2. Add the dollar value of the portion you own for all of your entries from Part 1, including any entries for pages you have attached for Part 1. Write that number here.....=>

\$270,000.00

Part 2: Describe Your Vehicles

Do you own, lease, or have legal or equitable interest in any vehicles, whether they are registered or not? Include any vehicles you own that someone else drives. If you lease a vehicle, also report it on Schedule G: Executory Contracts and Unexpired Leases.

Official Form 106A/B Schedule A/B: Property page 1

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typical household furniture & appliances

\$2,300.00

7. Electronics

Examples: Televisions and radios; audio, video, stereo, and digital equipment; computers, printers, scanners; music collections; electronic devices including cell phones, cameras, media players, games

□ No

Yes. Describe.....

50" flat screen TV, 2 40" flatscreen TVs, 2 analogue TV, 12 year old Apple computer, Samsung tablet, smart phones

\$900.00

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De	ebtor 2 Cherlyn	A Pratola		Case number (if known)	
				Cash	\$55.00
17.		ng, savings, o		ounts; certificates of deposit; shares in credit unions, brokerage houses, as with the same institution, list each.	and other similar
	□ No ■ Yes			Institution name:	
		17.1.	Checking	BMO Harris Bank	\$2,000.00
		17.2.	Checking	BMO Harris (income tax set aside account)	\$260.00
18.	_			okerage firms, money market accounts	
	■ No □ Yes		Institution or issuer	name:	
19.	joint venture	ed stock and	interests in incorp	orated and unincorporated businesses, including an interest in an L	LC, partnership, and
	■ No				
	☐ Yes. Give specifi		about them me of entity:	% of ownership:	
20.	Negotiable instrum	<i>ent</i> s include <sub>l</sub>	personal checks, ca	otiable and non-negotiable instruments shiers' checks, promissory notes, and money orders. ansfer to someone by signing or delivering them.	
	☐ Yes. Give specific		about them uer name:		
21.	Retirement or pen  Examples: Interest  No			403(b), thrift savings accounts, or other pension or profit-sharing plans	
	■ Yes. List each ac	count separa	tely.		
		Type	of account:	Institution name:	
		Pens	sion	Amelgimated Meat Packers Union Pension	Unknown
		401(I	k)	Rollover 401(k)/Annuity managed by LPL Financials	\$660,000.00
				Jewel Food Stores employee 401(k)	\$178,000.00
22.	Examples: Agreem	nused deposi	ts you have made so	o that you may continue service or use from a company public utilities (electric, gas, water), telecommunications companies, or of	thers
	■ No □ Yes			Institution name or individual:	
23.			dic payment of mon	ey to you, either for life or for a number of years)	
	■ No	Lance			
	☐ Yes	Issuer nam	ne and description.		
24.	26 U.S.C. §§ 530(b)			qualified ABLE program, or under a qualified state tuition program.	
	No				

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Debtor 1

D	shtor 1	Boniimon	J Pratola, Sr		Document	Page 15 of	74	
	ebtor 1 ebtor 2	Cherlyn A		•			Case number (if known)	
	☐ Yes		Institution nam	e and descripti	ion. Separately file th	e records of any i	interests.11 U.S.C. § 521(c):	
	■ No	•	future interest		(other than anything	g listed in line 1)	), and rights or powers exerci	sable for your benefit
	Examp ■ No	oles: Internet d		websites, proce	and other intellectu eeds from royalties a		ements	
	Examp ■ No	oles: Building p	s, and other generality, exclusion information about	ve licenses, co		n holdings, liquor l	licenses, professional licenses	
	<b>□</b> 165.	Give specific	illioillialioil abc	out trieffi				
Mo	oney or	property owe	d to you?					Current value of the portion you own? Do not deduct secured claims or exemptions.
	Tax ref ■ No	unds owed to	you					
	_	Give specific in	nformation abo	ut them, includ	ing whether you alrea	ady filed the return	ns and the tax years	
	Examp	support ples: Past due Give specific in	·	imony, spousal	support, child suppo	ort, maintenance,	divorce settlement, property se	ttlement
	Examp	oles: Unpaid w	unpaid loans yo	insurance payı		efits, sick pay, vac	cation pay, workers' compensa	tion, Social Security
24	Interco	ts in insuranc	na maliaina					
31.				nsurance; heal	th savings account (H	HSA); credit, hom	neowner's, or renter's insurance	
	☐ Yes.	Name the insu		y of each policy any name:	y and list its value.	Bene	eficiary:	Surrender or refund value:
	If you a someo		ciary of a living		meone who has die oceeds from a life ins		rare currently entitled to receive	e property because
	<b>—</b> 100.	Cive apcomo	inionnation					
33.					have filed a lawsui ance claims, or rights		and for payment	
		Describe each						
	■ No			I claims of eve	ery nature, including	g counterclaims	of the debtor and rights to se	et off claims
		Describe each						
	Any fin ■ No	nancial assets	you did not a	lready list				
	☐ Yes.	Give specific	information					

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Debtor 1 Debtor 2	•		Case number (if known)	
	d the dollar value of all of your entries from Part 4, includi Part 4. Write that number here			\$840,315.00
Part 5:	Describe Any Business-Related Property You Own or Have an Inte	erest In. List any real esta	ate in Part 1.	
-	u own or have any legal or equitable interest in any business-rela	ted property?		
No.	Go to Part 6.			
☐ Yes.	Go to line 38.			
	Describe Any Farm- and Commercial Fishing-Related Property Yo f you own or have an interest in farmland, list it in Part 1.	u Own or Have an Interes	st In.	
`	ou own or have any legal or equitable interest in any farm	- or commercial fishir	ng-related property?	
_	lo. Go to Part 7.			
ПΥ	es. Go to line 47.			
Part 7:	Describe All Property You Own or Have an Interest in That Yo	ou Did Not List Above		
Exai ■ No	ou have other property of any kind you did not already lis mples: Season tickets, country club membership s. Give specific information	t?		
54. <b>Ad</b>	d the dollar value of all of your entries from Part 7. Write t	hat number here		\$0.00
Part 8:	List the Totals of Each Part of this Form			
55. <b>Par</b>	t 1: Total real estate, line 2			\$270,000.00
56. <b>Par</b>	t 2: Total vehicles, line 5	\$18,875.00		
57. <b>Par</b>	t 3: Total personal and household items, line 15	\$5,140.00		
58. <b>Par</b>	t 4: Total financial assets, line 36	\$840,315.00		
	t 5: Total business-related property, line 45	\$0.00		
	t 6: Total farm- and fishing-related property, line 52	\$0.00		
61. <b>Par</b>	t 7: Total other property not listed, line 54	+ \$0.00		
62. <b>Tot</b>	al personal property. Add lines 56 through 61	\$864,330.00	Copy personal property total	\$864,330.00
63. <b>Tot</b>	al of all property on Schedule A/B. Add line 55 + line 62			\$1,134,330.00

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Fill in this infor	mation to identify your	case:		
Debtor 1	Benjimen J Prato	ola, Sr.		
	First Name	Middle Name	Last Name	
Debtor 2	Cherlyn A Pratola	a		
(Spouse if, filing)	First Name	Middle Name	Last Name	
United States Ba	ankruptcy Court for the:	NORTHERN DISTRICT	OF ILLINOIS	
Case number				
(if known)				☐ Check if this is an amended filing

## Official Form 106C

# Schedule C: The Property You Claim as Exempt

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Be as complete and accurate as possible. If two married people are filing together, both are equally responsible for supplying correct information. Using the property you listed on *Schedule A/B: Property* (Official Form 106A/B) as your source, list the property that you claim as exempt. If more space is needed, fill out and attach to this page as many copies of *Part 2: Additional Page* as necessary. On the top of any additional pages, write your name and case number (if known).

For each item of property you claim as exempt, you must specify the amount of the exemption you claim. One way of doing so is to state a specific dollar amount as exempt. Alternatively, you may claim the full fair market value of the property being exempted up to the amount of any applicable statutory limit. Some exemptions—such as those for health aids, rights to receive certain benefits, and tax-exempt retirement funds—may be unlimited in dollar amount. However, if you claim an exemption of 100% of fair market value under a law that limits the exemption to a particular dollar amount and the value of the property is determined to exceed that amount, your exemption would be limited to the applicable statutory amount.

Part 1: Identify the Property You Claim as Exem	pt
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1.	Which set of exemptions are you claiming? Check one only, even if your spouse is filing with you.							
	■ You are claiming state and federal nonban	kruptcy exemptions.	11 U.S	S.C. § 522(b)(3)				
	☐ You are claiming federal exemptions. 11	U.S.C. § 522(b)(2)						
2.	For any property you list on Schedule A/B	that you claim as exe	empt,	fill in the information below.				
	Brief description of the property and line on Schedule A/B that lists this property	Current value of the portion you own	Amo	ount of the exemption you claim	Specific laws that allow exemption			
		Copy the value from Schedule A/B	Che	eck only one box for each exemption.				
	670 Regal Lane Algonquin, IL 60102 McHenry County	\$270,000.00		\$30,000.00	735 ILCS 5/12-901			
	FMV based on CMA \$280,00 reduced for deferred maintenance Line from Schedule A/B: 1.1			100% of fair market value, up to any applicable statutory limit				
	typical household furniture & appliances	\$2,300.00		\$2,300.00	735 ILCS 5/12-1001(b)			
	Line from Schedule A/B: <b>6.1</b>			100% of fair market value, up to any applicable statutory limit				
	50" flat screen TV, 2 40" flatscreen TVs, 2 analogue TV, 12 year old	\$900.00		\$900.00	735 ILCS 5/12-1001(b)			
	Apple computer, Samsung tablet, smart phones Line from Schedule A/B: 7.1			100% of fair market value, up to any applicable statutory limit				
	small collection of Disney figurines	\$500.00		\$500.00	735 ILCS 5/12-1001(b)			
	Line Holli Schedule AVD. 0.1			100% of fair market value, up to any applicable statutory limit				
	exercise bike Line from Schedule A/B: 9.1	\$40.00		\$40.00	735 ILCS 5/12-1001(b)			
	LITE HOTH SCHEdule AVD. 3.1			100% of fair market value, up to any applicable statutory limit				

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Benjimen J Pratola, Sr. Debtor 1 Cherlyn A Pratola Case number (if known) Debtor 2 Brief description of the property and line on Current value of the Amount of the exemption you claim Specific laws that allow exemption Schedule A/B that lists this property portion you own Copy the value from Check only one box for each exemption. Schedule A/B necessary wearing apparel, wedding 735 ILCS 5/12-1001(a) \$1,000.00 \$1,000.00 bands, engagement ring Line from Schedule A/B: 11.1 100% of fair market value, up to any applicable statutory limit misc costume jewelry, one pair of 735 ILCS 5/12-1001(b) \$400.00 \$400.00 diamond earrings П Line from Schedule A/B: 12.1 100% of fair market value, up to any applicable statutory limit **Checking: BMO Harris Bank** 735 ILCS 5/12-1001(b) \$2,000.00 \$2,000.00 Line from Schedule A/B: 17.1 П 100% of fair market value, up to any applicable statutory limit Checking: BMO Harris (income tax 735 ILCS 5/12-1001(b) \$260.00 \$260.00 set aside account) Line from Schedule A/B: 17.2 100% of fair market value, up to any applicable statutory limit **Pension: Amelgimated Meat Packers** 735 ILCS 5/12-1006 \$0.00 Unknown **Union Pension** Line from Schedule A/B: 21.1 100% of fair market value, up to any applicable statutory limit 401(k): Rollover 401(k)/Annuity 735 ILCS 5/12-1006 \$660,000.00 \$660,000.00 managed by LPL Financials Line from Schedule A/B: 21.2 100% of fair market value, up to any applicable statutory limit Jewel Food Stores employee 401(k) 735 ILCS 5/12-1006 \$178,000.00 \$178,000.00 Line from Schedule A/B: 21.3 100% of fair market value, up to any applicable statutory limit Are you claiming a homestead exemption of more than \$160,375? (Subject to adjustment on 4/01/19 and every 3 years after that for cases filed on or after the date of adjustment.) Yes. Did you acquire the property covered by the exemption within 1,215 days before you filed this case? No

Yes

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Fill in this information to id	dentify you	r case:				
Debtor 1 Beniim	nen J Prat	ola. Sr.				
First Name		Middle Name	Last Name		-	
	n A Prato	la				
(Spouse if, filing) First Name	Э	Middle Name	Last Name			
United States Bankruptcy Co	ourt for the:	NORTHERN DISTRICT OF ILLI	NOIS		-	
Case number						
(if known)					☐ Check	if this is an
					amend	led filing
O(() : 1   E 400 D						
Official Form 106D						
Schedule D: Cre	ditors	Who Have Claims S	<u>Secured</u>	by Propert	У	12/15
		f two married people are filing togethe out, number the entries, and attach it to				
1. Do any creditors have claims	s secured by	your property?				
☐ No. Check this box ar	nd submit th	nis form to the court with your other s	schedules. You	ı have nothing else t	o report on this form.	
Yes. Fill in all of the in	nformation h	nelow		-		
		ociow.				
				Column A	Column B	Column C
for each claim. If more than one	creditor has	nore than one secured claim, list the cred a particular claim, list the other creditors cal order according to the creditor's name	in Part 2. As	Amount of claim Do not deduct the value of collateral.	Value of collateral that supports this claim	Unsecured portion If any
2.1 BMO Harris		Describe the property that secures the	ne claim:	\$7,093.00	\$2,950.00	\$4,143.00
Creditor's Name		2007 Volkswagon EOS 33000	) miles			
		FMV based on NADA average	e retail			
Attn: Bankruptcy		As of the date you file, the claim is: O	 Check all that			
770 N Water St Milwaukee, WI 5320	<b>n</b> 2	apply.				
		Contingent				
Number, Street, City, State & Z	zip Code	☐ Unliquidated ☐ Disputed				
Who owes the debt? Check o	one.	Nature of lien. Check all that apply.				
Debtor 1 only		☐ An agreement you made (such as m	nortgage or secur	red		
■ Debtor 2 only		car loan)	0 0			
☐ Debtor 1 and Debtor 2 only		☐ Statutory lien (such as tax lien, mech	hanic's lien)			
☐ At least one of the debtors ar	nd another	☐ Judgment lien from a lawsuit	,			
☐ Check if this claim relates t community debt	to a	Other (including a right to offset)	Purchase Mo	oney Security		
Оре	ened 17 Last					
Act	ive					
Date debt was incurred 3/30	0/18	Last 4 digits of account number	er 6041			
2.2 Harris N.a.		Describe the property that secures the	ne claim:	\$199,094.00	\$270,000.00	\$0.00
Creditor's Name		670 Regal Lane Algonquin, IL		<del>- + 100,00 1100</del>		
		McHenry County				
Bmo Harris Bank -		FMV based on CMA \$280,00				
Bankruptcy Dept.		reduced for deferred mainter As of the date you file, the claim is: 0				
770 N Water Street		apply.	neck all that			
Milwaukee, WI 5320	02	☐ Contingent				
Number, Street, City, State & Z	Zip Code	Unliquidated				
Who owes the debt? Oh		Disputed				
Who owes the debt? Check o	ле.	Nature of lien. Check all that apply.		1		
☐ Debtor 1 only ☐ Debtor 2 only		An agreement you made (such as m car loan)	iortgage or secur	eu		
■ Debtor 1 and Debtor 2 only		☐ Statutory lien (such as tax lien, mech	hanic's lien)			
At least one of the debtors ar	nd another	☐ Judgment lien from a lawsuit	3			
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Debtor	1 Beniimen	J Pratola, Sr.		Ca	ase number (if know)		
	First Name	Middle N	ame Last Name	_	` ′ –		
Debtor	2 Cherlyn A	Pratola					
	First Name	Middle N	ame Last Name				
	ck if this claim re nmunity debt	elates to a	Other (including a right to offset)	First Mortgag	ge		
Date de	ebt was incurred	Opened 05/16 Last Active 3/31/18	Last 4 digits of account nun	nber 1612			
וייי	incoln Autom	notive	Describe the property that secures	the claim:	\$18,157.00	\$15,925.00	\$2,232.00
С	reditor's Name		2015 Ford Escape 43300 m				
Attn: Bankruptcy Po Box 542000 Omaha, NE 68154		o	FMV based on NADA avera As of the date you file, the claim is apply.  ☐ Contingent				
N	umber, Street, City, S	State & Zip Code	☐ Unliquidated ☐ Disputed				
Who o	wes the debt? C	heck one.	Nature of lien. Check all that apply.				
_	tor 1 only tor 2 only		☐ An agreement you made (such as car loan)	mortgage or secure	ed		
■ Deb	tor 1 and Debtor 2	only!	☐ Statutory lien (such as tax lien, me	echanic's lien)			
☐ At le	ast one of the deb	otors and another	☐ Judgment lien from a lawsuit				
	ck if this claim re nmunity debt	elates to a	Other (including a right to offset)	Purchase Mo	oney Security		
Date de	bt was incurred	Opened 01/15 Last Active 4/26/18	Last 4 digits of account nun	nber <u>1408</u>			
Add t	he dollar value of	f your entries in C	column A on this page. Write that nur	nber here:	\$224,344.00		
	is the last page of that number here	•	the dollar value totals from all pages	<b>5.</b>	\$224,344.00		

### Part 2: List Others to Be Notified for a Debt That You Already Listed

Use this page only if you have others to be notified about your bankruptcy for a debt that you already listed in Part 1. For example, if a collection agency is trying to collect from you for a debt you owe to someone else, list the creditor in Part 1, and then list the collection agency here. Similarly, if you have more than one creditor for any of the debts that you listed in Part 1, list the additional creditors here. If you do not have additional persons to be notified for any debts in Part 1, do not fill out or submit this page.

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Fill in t	this informa	ation to identify your c		T MM. 7		
Debtor	1	Benjimen J Pratol	a Sr			
Dobto.		First Name	Middle Name	Last Name		
Debtor	2	Cherlyn A Pratola				
(Spouse if	if, filing)	First Name	Middle Name	Last Name		
United	States Banl	kruptcy Court for the:	NORTHERN DISTRICT OF ILL	INOIS		
Case n	umber					
(if known)	)					☐ Check if this is an
						amended filing
Officia	al Form	106F/F				
			ho Have Unsecured	Claims		12/15
any exec Schedule	cutory contra e G: Executo	acts or unexpired leases to bry Contracts and Unexpi	e Part 1 for creditors with PRIORIT that could result in a claim. Also li red Leases (Official Form 106G). D ired by Property. If more space is r	st executory o	ontracts on Schedule A/B: Proper any creditors with partially secure	ty (Official Form 106A/B) and on d claims that are listed in
left. Attac	ch the Conti		e. If you have no information to rep			
Part 1:	List All	of Your PRIORITY Uns	secured Claims			
1. Do a	any creditor	s have priority unsecured	l claims against you?			
<b>I</b>	No. Go to Pa	rt 2.				
	Yes.					
Part 2:	List All	of Your NONPRIORITY	/ Unsecured Claims			
3. Do a	any creditors	s have nonpriority unsec	ured claims against you?			
	No. You have	nothing to report in this pa	art. Submit this form to the court with	your other sche	edules.	
<b>,</b>	Yes.					
unse	ecured claim, n one creditor	list the creditor separately	ims in the alphabetical order of the for each claim. For each claim listed, at the other creditors in Part 3.If you h	, identify what t	ype of claim it is. Do not list claims a	Iready included in Part 1. If more
T GIT						Total claim
4.1	Aes/nct		Last 4 digits of acco	ount number	0002	\$49,131.00
		Creditor's Name				
	Po Box 2	nkruptcy Dept	When was the debt	incurred?	Opened 08/05 Last Activ 2/24/17	е
		rg, PA 17105	When was the debt	iliculteu:	2/24/17	
	Number Stre	eet City State Zlp Code	As of the date you f	file, the claim i	s: Check all that apply	
		- 146 - 1-640 01 1				
	Who incurr	ed the debt? Check one.	_			
	Debtor 1	only	■ Contingent			
	Debtor 1	only	<ul><li>■ Contingent</li><li>□ Unliquidated</li></ul>			
	Debtor 1	only	☐ Unliquidated ☐ Disputed			
	Debtor 1 Debtor 2 Debtor 1	only	☐ Unliquidated ☐ Disputed Type of NONPRIOR	ITY unsecured	d claim:	
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	Debtor 1 Debtor 2 Debtor 1 At least 0 Check if debt	only and Debtor 2 only one of the debtors and ano	Unliquidated Disputed Type of NONPRIOR Student loans	g out of a sepa	d claim: ration agreement or divorce that you	did not
	Debtor 1 Debtor 2 Debtor 1 At least 0 Check if debt Is the claim	only and Debtor 2 only one of the debtors and ano this claim is for a comm	Unliquidated Disputed Type of NONPRIOR Student loans Obligations arisin report as priority clair	ng out of a sepa ms		did not
	Debtor 1 Debtor 2 Debtor 1 At least 0 Check if debt	only and Debtor 2 only one of the debtors and ano this claim is for a comm	Unliquidated Disputed Type of NONPRIOR Student loans Obligations arisin report as priority clair	ng out of a sepa ms	ration agreement or divorce that you	did not

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Debtor Debtor	1 Benjimen J Pratola, Sr. 2 Cherlyn A Pratola		Case number (if know)			
4.2	Aes/nct	Last 4 digits of account number	0001	\$44,532.00		
	Nonpriority Creditor's Name Attn: Bankruptcy Dept Po Box 2461 Harrisburg, PA 17105 Number Street City State Zlp Code	When was the debt incurred?  As of the date you file, the claim in	Opened 06/04 Last Active 2/24/17	¥ 1,412=100		
	Who incurred the debt? Check one.	_				
	Debtor 1 only	Contingent				
	Debtor 2 only	☐ Unliquidated				
	Debtor 1 and Debtor 2 only	☐ Disputed  Type of NONPRIORITY unsecured	1 claim			
	At least one of the debtors and another	Student loans	a ciaiiii.			
	☐ Check if this claim is for a community debt Is the claim subject to offset?	_	ration agreement or divorce that you did not			
	■ No	Debts to pension or profit-sharing	g plans, and other similar debts			
	Yes	Other. Specify				
		Educationa	ıl			
4.3	Aes/nct Nonpriority Creditor's Name	Last 4 digits of account number	0003	\$42,546.00		
	Attn: Bankruptcy Dept Po Box 2461 Harrisburg, PA 17105	When was the debt incurred?	Opened 08/06 Last Active 3/10/17			
	Number Street City State Zlp Code Who incurred the debt? Check one.	As of the date you file, the claim	As of the date you file, the claim is: Check all that apply			
	☐ Debtor 1 only	Contingent				
	Debtor 2 only	☐ Unliquidated				
	Debtor 1 and Debtor 2 only	☐ Disputed  Type of NONPRIORITY unsecured	d claim:			
	At least one of the debtors and another	Student loans				
	☐ Check if this claim is for a community debt  Is the claim subject to offset?	☐ Obligations arising out of a separeport as priority claims				
	■ No	Debts to pension or profit-sharing				
	Yes	Other. Specify				
		Educationa	ıl			
4.4	Aes/nct Nonpriority Creditor's Name	Last 4 digits of account number	0005	\$25,480.00		
	Attn: Bankruptcy Dept Po Box 2461	When was the debt incurred?	Opened 07/07 Last Active 2/24/17			
	Harrisburg, PA 17105  Number Street City State Zlp Code  Who incurred the debt? Check one.	As of the date you file, the claim	s: Check all that apply			
	Debtor 1 only	Contingent				
	Debtor 2 only	☐ Unliquidated				
	☐ Debtor 1 and Debtor 2 only	☐ Disputed				
	At least one of the debtors and another	Type of NONPRIORITY unsecured	d claim:			
	☐ Check if this claim is for a community	Student loans				
	debt Is the claim subject to offset?	report as priority claims	ration agreement or divorce that you did not			
	■ No	Debts to pension or profit-sharing	g plans, and other similar debts			
	Yes	Other. Specify				
		Educationa	l			

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Debtor 2	Benjimen J Pratola, Sr. Cherlyn A Pratola		Case number (if know)	
4.5	Aes/nct	Last 4 digits of account number	0004	\$21,104.00
	Nonpriority Creditor's Name Attn: Bankruptcy Dept Po Box 2461 Harrisburg, PA 17105 Number Street City State Zlp Code	When was the debt incurred?  As of the date you file, the claim in	Opened 09/06 Last Active 1/27/17	, , , , , ,
	Who incurred the debt? Check one.	,		
	☐ Debtor 1 only	Contingent		
	Debtor 2 only	☐ Unliquidated		
	☐ Debtor 1 and Debtor 2 only	☐ Disputed		
	At least one of the debtors and another	Type of NONPRIORITY unsecured	d claim:	
	☐ Check if this claim is for a community debt	Student loans  Obligations arising out of a sense	ration agreement or divorce that you did not	
	Is the claim subject to offset?	report as priority claims	nation agreement of divorce that you did not	
	No	Debts to pension or profit-sharing	g plans, and other similar debts	
	☐ Yes	Other. Specify		
		Educationa	ıl	
4.6	Bank of America	Last 4 digits of account number	0611	\$2,303.00
	Nonpriority Creditor's Name 4909 Savarese Circle FI1-908-01-50	When was the debt incurred?	Opened 12/13 Last Active 3/03/18	<del></del>
	Tampa, FL 33634  Number Street City State Zlp Code  Who incurred the debt? Check one.	As of the date you file, the claim	s: Check all that apply	
	Debtor 1 only	☐ Contingent		
	Debtor 2 only	☐ Unliquidated		
	Debtor 1 and Debtor 2 only	☐ Disputed		
	☐ At least one of the debtors and another	Type of NONPRIORITY unsecured	d claim:	
	☐ Check if this claim is for a community	☐ Student loans		
	debt Is the claim subject to offset?	☐ Obligations arising out of a separeport as priority claims		
	■ No	Debts to pension or profit-sharing		
	Yes	Other. Specify Credit Card	<u> </u>	
4.7	Best Buy Credit Card Services Nonpriority Creditor's Name	Last 4 digits of account number	7998	\$5,726.00
	PO Box 790441 Saint Louis, MO 63179	When was the debt incurred?	Opened 12/28/99 Last Active 2/08/18	
-	Number Street City State Zlp Code  Who incurred the debt? Check one.	As of the date you file, the claim		
	Debtor 1 only	☐ Contingent		
	Debtor 2 only	☐ Unliquidated		
	■ Debtor 1 and Debtor 2 only	☐ Disputed		
	☐ At least one of the debtors and another	Type of NONPRIORITY unsecured	d claim:	
	☐ Check if this claim is for a community	☐ Student loans		
	debt Is the claim subject to offset?	☐ Obligations arising out of a separeport as priority claims		
	■ No	Debts to pension or profit-sharing	g plans, and other similar debts	
	Yes	■ Other. Specify Charge Acc	count	

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Debtor Debtor	1 Benjimen J Pratola, Sr. 2 Cherlyn A Pratola		Case number (if know)	
4.8	Capital One	Last 4 digits of account number	6395	\$860.00
	Nonpriority Creditor's Name Attn: Bankruptcy Po Box 30285 Salt Lake City, UT 84130 Number Street City State Zlp Code	When was the debt incurred?  As of the date you file, the claim	Opened 11/13 Last Active 3/19/18	·
	Who incurred the debt? Check one.	_		
	Debtor 1 only	Contingent		
	Debtor 2 only	Unliquidated		
	Debtor 1 and Debtor 2 only	Disputed	d alata.	
	At least one of the debtors and another	Type of NONPRIORITY unsecured  ☐ Student loans	d claim:	
	☐ Check if this claim is for a community debt Is the claim subject to offset?		aration agreement or divorce that you did not	
	■ No	☐ Debts to pension or profit-sharir	ng plans, and other similar debts	
	☐ Yes	Other Specify Credit Card	<u> </u>	
4.9	Capital One / Menard Nonpriority Creditor's Name	Last 4 digits of account number	9059	\$4,913.00
	Attn: Bankruptcy Po Box 30285 Salt Lake City, UT 84130	When was the debt incurred?	Opened 05/08 Last Active 2/22/18	
	Number Street City State Zlp Code	As of the date you file, the claim	is: Check all that apply	
	Who incurred the debt? Check one.			
	☐ Debtor 1 only	☐ Contingent		
	Debtor 2 only	☐ Unliquidated		
	☐ Debtor 1 and Debtor 2 only	☐ Disputed		
	$\square$ At least one of the debtors and another	Type of NONPRIORITY unsecure	d claim:	
	$\square$ Check if this claim is for a community debt	☐ Student loans ☐ Obligations arising out of a sepa		
	Is the claim subject to offset?	report as priority claims		
	No	Debts to pension or profit-sharing		
	Yes	Other. Specify Charge Acc	count	
4.1 0	Cbusasears	Last 4 digits of account number	0289	\$2,846.00
	Nonpriority Creditor's Name Citicorp Credit Srvs/Centralized Bankrup Po Box 790040 Scient Levie MO 63470	When was the debt incurred?	Opened 7/31/11 Last Active 3/01/18	
	Number Street City State Zlp Code Who incurred the debt? Check one.	As of the date you file, the claim	is: Check all that apply	
	☐ Debtor 1 only	☐ Contingent		
	☐ Debtor 2 only	☐ Unliquidated		
	■ Debtor 1 and Debtor 2 only	☐ Disputed		
	☐ At least one of the debtors and another	Type of NONPRIORITY unsecure	d claim:	
	☐ Check if this claim is for a community debt	<ul><li>☐ Student loans</li><li>☐ Obligations arising out of a sepa</li></ul>		
	Is the claim subject to offset?	report as priority claims		
	■ No	☐ Debts to pension or profit-sharing	•	
	☐ Yes	■ Other. Specify Charge Acc	count	

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Debtor Debtor	1 Benjimen J Pratola, Sr. 2 Cherlyn A Pratola		Case number (if know)	
4.1 1	Chase Card Services	Last 4 digits of account number	6396	\$12,623.00
	Nonpriority Creditor's Name Correspondence Dept Po Box 15298 Wilmington, DE 19850	When was the debt incurred?	Opened 10/94 Last Active 2/15/18	
	Number Street City State Zlp Code Who incurred the debt? Check one.	As of the date you file, the claim	is: Check all that apply	
	☐ Debtor 1 only ☐ Debtor 2 only	☐ Contingent☐ Unliquidated		
	☐ Debtor 1 and Debtor 2 only ☐ At least one of the debtors and another ☐ Check if this claim is for a community	☐ Disputed  Type of NONPRIORITY unsecured  ☐ Student loans	d claim:	
	debt Is the claim subject to offset?	report as priority claims	aration agreement or divorce that you did not	
	■ No □ Yes	☐ Debts to pension or profit-sharin ☐ Other. Specify Credit Carc	,	
4.1	Chase Card Services Nonpriority Creditor's Name	Last 4 digits of account number	9725	\$1,684.00
	Po Box 15298 Wilmington, DE 19850	When was the debt incurred?	Opened 03/07 Last Active 4/09/17	
	Number Street City State Zlp Code Who incurred the debt? Check one.	As of the date you file, the claim		
	☐ Debtor 1 only	☐ Contingent		
	■ Debtor 2 only	☐ Unliquidated		
	☐ Debtor 1 and Debtor 2 only	☐ Disputed		
	☐ At least one of the debtors and another☐ Check if this claim is for a community	Type of NONPRIORITY unsecured  ☐ Student loans		
	debt Is the claim subject to offset?	☐ Obligations arising out of a separeport as priority claims		
	No	Debts to pension or profit-sharing	g plans, and other similar debts	
	Yes	Other. Specify Credit Card	<u> </u>	
4.1	Chase Card Services Nonpriority Creditor's Name	Last 4 digits of account number	1620	\$506.00
	Correspondence Dept Po Box 15298 Wilmington, DE 19850	When was the debt incurred?	Opened 11/13 Last Active 2/18/18	
	Number Street City State Zlp Code Who incurred the debt? Check one.	As of the date you file, the claim	is: Check all that apply	
	☐ Debtor 1 only	☐ Contingent		
	Debtor 2 only	☐ Unliquidated		
	☐ Debtor 1 and Debtor 2 only			
	$\square$ At least one of the debtors and another	Type of NONPRIORITY unsecured	d claim:	
	Check if this claim is for a community debt	☐ Student loans ☐ Obligations arising out of a sepa	aration agreement or divorce that you did not	
	Is the claim subject to offset?	report as priority claims		
	No	☐ Debts to pension or profit-sharin		
	☐ Yes	■ Other. Specify Credit Card	I	

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Debtor Debtor	r 1 Benjimen J Pratola, Sr. Cherlyn A Pratola		Case number (if know)			
4.1 4	Citibank/Sears	Last 4 digits of account number	7585	\$2,087.00		
	Nonpriority Creditor's Name Centralized Bankruptcy Po Box 790034 St Louis, MO 63179	When was the debt incurred?	Opened 08/12 Last Active 2/24/18			
	Number Street City State Zlp Code Who incurred the debt? Check one.	As of the date you file, the claim i	As of the date you file, the claim is: Check all that apply			
	■ Debtor 1 only □ Debtor 2 only □ Debtor 1 and Debtor 2 only	☐ Contingent ☐ Unliquidated ☐ Disputed				
	☐ At least one of the debtors and another	Type of NONPRIORITY unsecured	l claim:			
	☐ Check if this claim is for a community debt		ration agreement or divorce that you did not			
	Is the claim subject to offset?	report as priority claims				
	■ No □ Yes	☐ Debts to pension or profit-sharin  ☐ Other. Specify  ☐ Credit Card	•			
4.1 5	Citibank/Sears	Last 4 digits of account number	0936	\$933.00		
	Nonpriority Creditor's Name Centralized Bankruptcy Po Box 790034 St Louis, MO 63179	When was the debt incurred?	Opened 04/14 Last Active 4/04/18			
	Number Street City State Zlp Code Who incurred the debt? Check one.					
	☐ Debtor 1 only ☐ Contingent					
	■ Debtor 2 only	☐ Unliquidated				
	☐ Debtor 1 and Debtor 2 only	☐ Disputed				
	☐ At least one of the debtors and another	Type of NONPRIORITY unsecured	l claim:			
	☐ Check if this claim is for a community debt Is the claim subject to offset?	Obligations arising out of a separation agreement or divorce that you did not				
	■ No	☐ Debts to pension or profit-sharin	g plans, and other similar debts			
	☐ Yes	Other Specify Credit Card	• •			
4.1 6	Citicards	Last 4 digits of account number	7356	\$3,120.00		
	Nonpriority Creditor's Name Citicorp Credit Services/Attn: Centraliz Po Box 790040	When was the debt incurred?	Opened 08/13 Last Active 3/13/18			
	Number Street City State Zlp Code  Who incurred the debt? Check one.	As of the date you file, the claim is: Check all that apply				
	Debtor 1 only	☐ Contingent				
	Debtor 2 only	☐ Unliquidated				
		☐ Debtor 1 and Debtor 2 only ☐ Disputed				
	☐ At least one of the debtors and another	·				
	☐ Check if this claim is for a community debt	☐ Student loans	ration agreement or divorce that you did not			
	Is the claim subject to offset?	report as priority claims				
	■ No	$\square$ Debts to pension or profit-sharing plans, and other similar debts				
	□Yes	■ Other. Specify Credit Card				

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Debtor 1 Debtor 2	Benjimen J Pratola, Sr. Cherlyn A Pratola		Case number (if know)			
, ,	Comenity Bank/Carsons	Last 4 digits of account number	0402	\$6,363.00		
	Nonpriority Creditor's Name Attn: Bankruptcy Dept Po Box 182125 Columbus, OH 43218	When was the debt incurred?	Opened 06/94 Last Active 2/20/18			
_	Number Street City State Zlp Code  Who incurred the debt? Check one.	As of the date you file, the claim i	s: Check all that apply			
	Debtor 1 only	☐ Contingent				
	Debtor 2 only	☐ Unliquidated				
	■ Debtor 1 and Debtor 2 only	☐ Disputed				
	At least one of the debtors and another	Type of NONPRIORITY unsecured	d claim:			
	☐ Check if this claim is for a community	☐ Student loans				
	debt Is the claim subject to offset?	Obligations arising out of a separeport as priority claims	ration agreement or divorce that you did not			
	■ No	Debts to pension or profit-sharing	g plans, and other similar debts			
	Yes	Other. Specify Charge Acc	count			
·	Comenitybank/wayfair	Last 4 digits of account number	9996	\$27.00		
	Nonpriority Creditor's Name Attn: Bankruptcy Dept Po Box 182125 Columbus, OH 43218	When was the debt incurred?	Opened 07/16 Last Active 3/22/18			
_	Number Street City State Zlp Code  Who incurred the debt? Check one.	As of the date you file, the claim i				
	Debtor 1 only	☐ Contingent				
	■ Debtor 2 only	☐ Unliquidated				
	Debtor 1 and Debtor 2 only	☐ Disputed				
	☐ At least one of the debtors and another	Type of NONPRIORITY unsecured	d claim:			
	☐ Check if this claim is for a community	☐ Student loans				
	debt	Obligations arising out of a sepa	ration agreement or divorce that you did not			
	Is the claim subject to offset?	report as priority claims				
	■ No	Debts to pension or profit-sharing	g plans, and other similar debts			
	☐ Yes	Other. Specify Charge Acc	count			
4.1	Costco Go Anywhere Citicard	Last 4 digits of account number	7029	\$3,068.00		
	Nonpriority Creditor's Name Citicorp Credit Services/Centralized Ban Po Box 790040	When was the debt incurred?	Opened 09/16 Last Active 3/17/18			
_	St. Louis, MO 64195  Number Street City State Zlp Code  Who incurred the debt? Check one.	As of the date you file, the claim is: Check all that apply				
	Debtor 1 only	☐ Contingent				
	Debtor 2 only	☐ Unliquidated				
	☐ Debtor 1 and Debtor 2 only					
	☐ At least one of the debtors and another	☐ Disputed  Type of NONPRIORITY unsecured claim:				
	☐ Check if this claim is for a community	☐ Student loans				
	debt	☐ Obligations arising out of a sepa	ration agreement or divorce that you did not			
	Is the claim subject to offset?	report as priority claims				
	No	☐ Debts to pension or profit-sharin	g plans, and other similar debts			
	☐ Yes	Other. Specify Credit Card				

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Debtor Debtor	<ul><li>1 Benjimen J Pratola, Sr.</li><li>2 Cherlyn A Pratola</li></ul>		Case number (if know)	
4.2	Discover Financial	Last 4 digits of account number	6181	\$5,019.00
	Nonpriority Creditor's Name Po Box 3025 New Albany, OH 43054	When was the debt incurred?	Opened 8/02/13 Last Active 3/14/18	
	Number Street City State Zlp Code  Who incurred the debt? Check one.	As of the date you file, the claim	is: Check all that apply	
	☐ Debtor 1 only ☐ Debtor 2 only	☐ Contingent☐ Unliquidated		
	■ Debtor 1 and Debtor 2 only  □ At least one of the debtors and another  □ Check if this claim is for a community debt	☐ Disputed  Type of NONPRIORITY unsecured  ☐ Student loans	d claim:	
	Is the claim subject to offset?	report as priority claims	,	
	■ No □ Yes	☐ Debts to pension or profit-sharin  ☐ Other. Specify  ☐ Credit Carc	,	
4.2	Fifth Third Bank	Last 4 digits of account number	2936	\$8,255.00
	Nonpriority Creditor's Name Attn: Bankruptch Department 1830 E Paris Ave Se Grand Rapids, MI 49546	When was the debt incurred?	Opened 08/13 Last Active 3/12/18	
	Number Street City State ZIp Code Who incurred the debt? Check one.	As of the date you file, the claim	is: Check all that apply	
	■ Debtor 1 only □ Debtor 2 only	☐ Contingent ☐ Unliquidated		
	☐ Debtor 1 and Debtor 2 only ☐ At least one of the debtors and another ☐ Check if this claim is for a community	☐ Disputed  Type of NONPRIORITY unsecured  ☐ Student loans	d claim:	
	debt Is the claim subject to offset?	report as priority claims	aration agreement or divorce that you did not	
	■ No □ Yes	□ Debts to pension or profit-sharin ■ Other. Specify Credit Card		
4.2	Grand Dental - Franklin Park	Last 4 digits of account number	2201	\$5,341.96
	Nonpriority Creditor's Name 10020 W. Grand Ave. Franklin Park, IL 60131	When was the debt incurred?	3/9/18	
	Number Street City State Zlp Code Who incurred the debt? Check one.	As of the date you file, the claim	is: Check all that apply	
	☐ Debtor 1 only ☐ Debtor 2 only	☐ Contingent		
	■ Debtor 1 and Debtor 2 only	☐ Unliquidated☐ Disputed		
	☐ At least one of the debtors and another	- (		
	☐ Check if this claim is for a community debt Is the claim subject to offset?	☐ Student loans ☐ Obligations arising out of a separeport as priority claims	aration agreement or divorce that you did not	
	■ No	Debts to pension or profit-sharing	g plans, and other similar debts	
	Yes	■ Other. Specify Medical Tre	eatment	

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	r 1 Benjimen J Pratola, Sr. r 2 Cherlyn A Pratola		Case number (if know)			
4.2	Healthy Driven	Last 4 digits of account number	9161	\$1,545.34		
	Nonpriority Creditor's Name Edward-Elmhurst Health PO Box 140250 Toledo, OH 43614	When was the debt incurred?	2/15/16-2/19/16			
	Number Street City State Zlp Code  Who incurred the debt? Check one.	As of the date you file, the claim				
	☐ Debtor 1 only	☐ Contingent				
	☐ Debtor 2 only	☐ Unliquidated				
	■ Debtor 1 and Debtor 2 only	☐ Disputed				
	$\square$ At least one of the debtors and another	Type of NONPRIORITY unsecured	d claim:			
	☐ Check if this claim is for a community	☐ Student loans				
	debt Is the claim subject to offset?	☐ Obligations arising out of a separeport as priority claims	ration agreement or divorce that you did not			
	No	Debts to pension or profit-sharing	g plans, and other similar debts			
	☐ Yes	Other. Specify Medical Tre	eatment			
4.2						
4.2	Kohls/Capital One Nonpriority Creditor's Name	Last 4 digits of account number	7015	\$3,132.00		
	Kohls Credit		Opened 10/94 Last Active			
	Po Box 3120	When was the debt incurred?	2/08/18			
	Milwaukee, WI 53201  Number Street City State Zlp Code	As of the data you file, the claim	e. Chook all that apply			
	Who incurred the debt? Check one.	As of the date you file, the claim	s: Спеск ан тлат арргу			
	Debtor 1 only	☐ Contingent				
	Debtor 2 only					
		☐ Unliquidated				
	Debtor 1 and Debtor 2 only	☐ Disputed  Type of NONPRIORITY unsecured				
	At least one of the debtors and another	Student loans				
	☐ Check if this claim is for a community debt Is the claim subject to offset?	☐ Obligations arising out of a separeport as priority claims				
	No	□ Debts to pension or profit-sharing plans, and other similar debts				
	☐ Yes	Other. Specify Charge Acc	count			
4.2 5	Med Business Bureau  Nonpriority Creditor's Name	Last 4 digits of account number	0103	\$230.00		
	1460 Renaissance Dr #400 Park Ridge, IL 60068	When was the debt incurred?	Opened 12/17 Last Active 1/16/18			
	Number Street City State Zlp Code Who incurred the debt? Check one.	As of the date you file, the claim	s: Check all that apply			
	Debtor 1 only	☐ Contingent				
	Debtor 2 only	☐ Unliquidated				
	☐ Debtor 1 and Debtor 2 only	☐ Disputed				
	☐ At least one of the debtors and another	Type of NONPRIORITY unsecured				
	☐ Check if this claim is for a community	☐ Student loans				
	debt	☐ Obligations arising out of a separation agreement or divorce that you did not				
	Is the claim subject to offset?	report as priority claims				
	■ No	☐ Debts to pension or profit-sharing plans, and other similar debts				
	☐ Yes ☐ Other. Specify Collection Attorney Elmhurst Anesthesia					

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Debto Debto	r 1 Benjimen J Pratola, Sr. Cherlyn A Pratola		Case number (if know)	
4.2	Navient	Last 4 digits of account number	0807	\$4,849.00
	Nonpriority Creditor's Name Attn: Bankruptcy Po Box 9500 Wilkes-Barre, PA 18773	When was the debt incurred?	Opened 08/03 Last Active 8/24/17	
	Number Street City State Zlp Code Who incurred the debt? Check one.	As of the date you file, the claim	is: Check all that apply	
	■ Debtor 1 only □ Debtor 2 only	☐ Contingent ☐ Unliquidated ☐ Disputed		
	<ul><li>□ Debtor 1 and Debtor 2 only</li><li>□ At least one of the debtors and another</li></ul>	Type of NONPRIORITY unsecured	d claim:	
	☐ Check if this claim is for a community debt	<ul><li>Student loans</li><li>Obligations arising out of a sepa</li></ul>	aration agreement or divorce that you did not	
	Is the claim subject to offset?	report as priority claims  Debts to pension or profit-sharin	o plans, and other similar debts	
	☐ Yes	☐ Other. Specify	g pians, and other similar debts	
		Educationa	ıl	
4.2	Syncb/ccdstr  Nonpriority Creditor's Name	Last 4 digits of account number	2827	\$2,243.00
	Po Box 96060 Orlando, FL 32896	When was the debt incurred?	Opened 02/11 Last Active 2/25/18	
	Number Street City State Zlp Code Who incurred the debt? Check one.	As of the date you file, the claim is: Check all that apply		
	Debtor 1 only	☐ Contingent		
	■ Debtor 2 only	☐ Unliquidated		
	☐ Debtor 1 and Debtor 2 only	☐ Disputed		
	$\square$ At least one of the debtors and another	Type of NONPRIORITY unsecured	d claim:	
	☐ Check if this claim is for a community debt Is the claim subject to offset?	☐ Student loans ☐ Obligations arising out of a separation agreement or divorce that you did not report as priority claims		
	■ No	Debts to pension or profit-sharin	g plans, and other similar debts	
	Yes	Other. Specify Charge Acc	count	
4.2	Syncb/Toys "R" Us  Nonpriority Creditor's Name	Last 4 digits of account number	0508	\$1,889.00
	Po Box 965064 Orlando, FL 32896	When was the debt incurred?	Opened 01/16 Last Active 3/07/18	
	Number Street City State Zlp Code Who incurred the debt? Check one.	As of the date you file, the claim	is: Check all that apply	
	Debtor 1 only	☐ Contingent		
	■ Debtor 2 only	☐ Unliquidated		
	☐ Debtor 1 and Debtor 2 only	☐ Disputed		
	$\square$ At least one of the debtors and another	Type of NONPRIORITY unsecured		
	☐ Check if this claim is for a community debt	☐ Student loans ☐ Obligations arising out of a sepa		
	Is the claim subject to offset?	report as priority claims		
	■ No	Debts to pension or profit-sharin		
	☐ Yes	■ Other. Specify Credit Card	<u> </u>	

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Debtor Debtor	Henjimen J Pratola, Sr. Cherlyn A Pratola		Case number (if know)	
4.2 9	Synchrony Bank/ JC Penneys	Last 4 digits of account number	1960	\$5,396.00
	Nonpriority Creditor's Name Attn: Bankruptcy Dept Po Box 965060 Orlando, FL 32896	When was the debt incurred?	Opened 05/08 Last Active 3/04/18	
	Number Street City State Zlp Code  Who incurred the debt? Check one.	As of the date you file, the claim	is: Check all that apply	
	☐ Debtor 1 only ■ Debtor 2 only	☐ Contingent ☐ Unliquidated		
	☐ Debtor 1 and Debtor 2 only ☐ At least one of the debtors and another	☐ Disputed  Type of NONPRIORITY unsecured	d claim:	
	☐ Check if this claim is for a community debt	Student loans	aration agreement or divorce that you did not	
	Is the claim subject to offset?	report as priority claims	· ·	
	■ No □ Yes	☐ Debts to pension or profit-sharin ☐ Other. Specify Charge Acc		
	☐ Yes	■ Other. Specify Charge Acc		
4.3	Synchrony Bank/ JC Penneys	Last 4 digits of account number	1043	\$4,401.00
	Nonpriority Creditor's Name Attn: Bankruptcy Dept Po Box 965060 Orlando, FL 32896	When was the debt incurred?	Opened 05/11 Last Active 2/08/18	
	Number Street City State Zlp Code  Who incurred the debt? Check one.	As of the date you file, the claim	is: Check all that apply	
	☐ Debtor 1 only ☐ Contingent			
	■ Debtor 2 only	☐ Unliquidated		
	☐ Debtor 1 and Debtor 2 only	ebtor 1 and Debtor 2 only		
	☐ At least one of the debtors and another	Type of NONPRIORITY unsecured	d claim:	
	☐ Check if this claim is for a community	☐ Student loans		
	debt Is the claim subject to offset?	Obligations arising out of a separeport as priority claims		
	No	Debts to pension or profit-sharing	g plans, and other similar debts	
	Yes	■ Other. Specify Charge Acc		
4.3	Synchrony Bank/Amazon	Last 4 digits of account number	3680	\$1,019.00
	Nonpriority Creditor's Name Attn: Bankruptcy Dept Po Box 965060 Orlando, FL 32896	When was the debt incurred?	Opened 11/12 Last Active 2/21/18	
	Number Street City State Zlp Code  Who incurred the debt? Check one.	As of the date you file, the claim	is: Check all that apply	
	Debtor 1 only	☐ Contingent		
	Debtor 2 only			
	☐ Debtor 1 and Debtor 2 only	☐ Disputed		
	☐ At least one of the debtors and another	Type of NONPRIORITY unsecured	d claim:	
	☐ Check if this claim is for a community debt	☐ Student loans ☐ Obligations arising out of a sepa	ration agreement or divorce that you did not	
	Is the claim subject to offset?	report as priority claims		
	No	Debts to pension or profit-sharing	g plans, and other similar debts	
	Yes	■ Other. Specify Charge Acc	count	

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Debtoi Debtoi	1 Benjimen J Pratola, Sr. Cherlyn A Pratola		Case number (if know)		
4.3	Synchrony Bank/TJX	Last 4 digits of account number	8973	\$2,359.00	
	Nonpriority Creditor's Name Attn: Bankruptcy Dept Po Box 965060 Orlando, FL 32896	When was the debt incurred?	Opened 07/14 Last Active 2/18/18		
	Number Street City State Zlp Code Who incurred the debt? Check one.	As of the date you file, the claim	s: Check all that apply		
	□ Debtor 1 only □ Debtor 2 only	☐ Contingent ☐ Unliquidated			
	☐ Debtor 1 and Debtor 2 only ☐ At least one of the debtors and another ☐ Check if this claim is for a community	☐ Disputed  Type of NONPRIORITY unsecured  ☐ Student loans	d claim:		
	debt Is the claim subject to offset?	report as priority claims	ration agreement or divorce that you did not		
	■ No □ Yes	☐ Debts to pension or profit-sharin ☐ Other. Specify Credit Carc			
4.3	Synchrony Bank/Walmart	Last 4 digits of account number	1361	\$4,163.00	
	Nonpriority Creditor's Name Attn: Bankruptcy Dept Po Box 965060 Orlando, FL 32896	When was the debt incurred?	Opened 11/12 Last Active 3/04/18		
	Number Street City State Zlp Code Who incurred the debt? Check one.	As of the date you file, the claim is: Check all that apply			
	Debtor 1 only	☐ Contingent			
	Debtor 2 only	Unliquidated			
	Debtor 1 and Debtor 2 only	Disputed			
	At least one of the debtors and another	Type of NONPRIORITY unsecured			
	☐ Check if this claim is for a community debt Is the claim subject to offset?	☐ Student loans ☐ Obligations arising out of a separeport as priority claims			
	■ No	☐ Debts to pension or profit-sharin	g plans, and other similar debts		
	Yes	Other. Specify Charge Acc	count		
4.3	US Bank/RMS CC Nonpriority Creditor's Name	Last 4 digits of account number	0707	\$6,148.00	
	Attn: Bankruptcy Po Box 5229 Cincinnati, OH 45201	When was the debt incurred?	Opened 11/13 Last Active 3/05/18		
	Number Street City State Zlp Code Who incurred the debt? Check one.	As of the date you file, the claim	s: Check all that apply		
	■ Debtor 1 only	☐ Contingent			
	☐ Debtor 2 only	☐ Unliquidated			
	☐ Debtor 1 and Debtor 2 only	☐ Disputed			
	$\square$ At least one of the debtors and another	Type of NONPRIORITY unsecured	d claim:		
	Check if this claim is for a community debt	<ul><li>☐ Student loans</li><li>☐ Obligations arising out of a separation agreement or divorce that you did not</li></ul>			
	Is the claim subject to offset?	report as priority claims	a plane, and other similar 4-bt-		
	■ No	Debts to pension or profit-sharin			
	☐ Yes	Other. Specify Credit Card	<u> </u>		

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Debtor 1 Benjimen J Pratola, Sr.	Document Fage 3	3 01 74				
Debtor 2 Cherlyn A Pratola		Case number (if know)				
4.3 Visa Dept Store National 5 Bank/Macy's	Last 4 digits of account number	8910	\$1,498.00			
Nonpriority Creditor's Name Attn: Bankruptcy		Opened 07/03 Last Active				
Po Box 8053 Mason, OH 45040	When was the debt incurred?	2/08/18				
Number Street City State Zlp Code Who incurred the debt? Check one.	As of the date you file, the claim	is: Check all that apply				
Debtor 1 only	☐ Contingent					
■ Debtor 2 only	☐ Unliquidated					
☐ Debtor 1 and Debtor 2 only	☐ Disputed					
$\square$ At least one of the debtors and anoth	ner Type of NONPRIORITY unsecure	Type of NONPRIORITY unsecured claim:				
☐ Check if this claim is for a commu	unity	☐ Student loans				
debt Is the claim subject to offset?	Obligations arising out of a separeport as priority claims	aration agreement or divorce that you did not				
■ No	☐ Debts to pension or profit-sharing	ng plans, and other similar debts				
Yes	■ Other. Specify Charge Ac	count				

### Part 3: List Others to Be Notified About a Debt That You Already Listed

## Part 4: Add the Amounts for Each Type of Unsecured Claim

6. Total the amounts of certain types of unsecured claims. This information is for statistical reporting purposes only. 28 U.S.C. §159. Add the amounts for each type of unsecured claim.

				Total Claim
	6a.	Domestic support obligations	6a.	\$ 0.00
Total claims				
from Part 1	6b.	Taxes and certain other debts you owe the government	6b.	\$ 0.00
	6c.	Claims for death or personal injury while you were intoxicated	6c.	\$ 0.00
	6d.	Other. Add all other priority unsecured claims. Write that amount here.	6d.	\$ 0.00
	6e.	Total Priority. Add lines 6a through 6d.	6e.	\$ 0.00
				Total Claim
	6f.	Student loans	6f.	\$ 187,642.00
Total claims				
from Part 2	6g.	Obligations arising out of a separation agreement or divorce that you did not report as priority claims	6g.	\$ 0.00
	6h.		6h.	\$ 0.00
	6i.	<b>Other.</b> Add all other nonpriority unsecured claims. Write that amount here.	6i.	\$ 99,698.30
	6j.	Total Nonpriority. Add lines 6f through 6i.	6j.	\$ 287,340.30

<sup>5.</sup> Use this page only if you have others to be notified about your bankruptcy, for a debt that you already listed in Parts 1 or 2. For example, if a collection agency is trying to collect from you for a debt you owe to someone else, list the original creditor in Parts 1 or 2, then list the collection agency here. Similarly, if you have more than one creditor for any of the debts that you listed in Parts 1 or 2, list the additional creditors here. If you do not have additional persons to be notified for any debts in Parts 1 or 2, do not fill out or submit this page.

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Fill in this information to identify your case:					
Debtor 1	Benjimen J Prato	ola, Sr.			
	First Name	Middle Name	Last Name		
Debtor 2	ebtor 2 Cherlyn A Pratola				
(Spouse if, filing)	First Name	Middle Name	Last Name		
United States Bankruptcy Court for the:		NORTHERN DISTRICT	OF ILLINOIS		
Case number					
(if known)					

## Official Form 106G

## **Schedule G: Executory Contracts and Unexpired Leases**

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Be as complete and accurate as possible. If two married people are filing together, both are equally responsible for supplying correct information. If more space is needed, copy the additional page, fill it out, number the entries, and attach it to this page. On the top of any additional pages, write your name and case number (if known).

- 1. Do you have any executory contracts or unexpired leases?
  - No. Check this box and file this form with the court with your other schedules. You have nothing else to report on this form.
  - Tyes. Fill in all of the information below even if the contacts of leases are listed on Schedule A/B:Property (Official Form 106 A/B).
- List separately each person or company with whom you have the contract or lease. Then state what each contract or lease is for (for example, rent, vehicle lease, cell phone). See the instructions for this form in the instruction booklet for more examples of executory contracts and unexpired leases.

	Person or company with whom you have the contract or lease Name, Number, Street, City, State and ZIP Code				State what the contract or lease is for
2.1					
	Name				_
	Number	Street			_
	City		State	ZIP Code	
2.2					
	Name				
	Number	Street			_
	City		State	ZIP Code	_
2.3	•				
	Name				_
	Number	Street			_
	City		State	ZIP Code	_
2.4					
	Name				_
	Number	Street			
	City		State	ZIP Code	
2.5					
	Name				
	Number	Street			
	City		State	ZIP Code	_

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Fill in th	is information to identify your cas	e:		
Debtor 1	Benjimen J Pratola,  First Name			
Debtor 2		Middle Name	Last Name	
(Spouse if,		Middle Name	Last Name	
United S	tates Bankruptcy Court for the:	ORTHERN DISTRICT OF IL	LINOIS	
Case nui	mber			
(if known)				☐ Check if this is an amended filing
Officia	al Form 106H			
Sche	dule H: Your Codek	otors		12/15
Deople an ill it out, your nam  1. Do  N Your Service N Arizo N Your Service N Arizo N T T S T T T T T T T T T T T T T T T T	re filing together, both are equally and number the entries in the bone and case number (if known). And to you have any codebtors? (If you oes!  Tithin the last 8 years, have you live ona, California, Idaho, Louisiana, New oo. Go to line 3.  Tes. Did your spouse, former spouse, to liming 1, list all of your codebtors one 2 again as a codebtor only if the	responsible for supplying xes on the left. Attach the Answer every question.  are filing a joint case, do not red in a community property evada, New Mexico, Puerto R., or legal equivalent live with yes. Do not include your spousat person is a guarantor or	dditional Page to this page. On the list either spouse as a codebtor.  y state or territory? (Community propico, Texas, Washington, and Wiscons you at the time?  se as a codebtor if your spouse is fosigner. Make sure you have liste	is needed, copy the Additional Page, top of any Additional Pages, write
	Column 1: Your codebtor Name, Number, Street, City, State and ZIP Co	ode		creditor to whom you owe the debt dules that apply:
3.1	Christopher V. Pratola 670 Regal Lane Algonquin, IL 60102		☐ Schedule ☐ Schedule ☐ Schedule ☐ Schedule ☐ Aes/nct	E/F, line 4.1
3.2	Christopher V. Pratola 670 Regal Lane Algonquin, IL 60102		☐ Schedule E☐ Schedule E☐ Schedule C☐ Aes/nct	E/F, line <b>4.2</b>
3.3	Christopher V. Pratola 670 Regal Lane Algonquin, IL 60102		☐ Schedule E ■ Schedule E ☐ Schedule C Aes/nct	E/F, line <b>4.3</b>

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Debtor 1	Benjimen J Pratola, Sr. Cherlyn A Pratola	Case number (if known)	
	Additional Page to List More Codebtors		
3.4	Column 1: Your codebtor	Column 2: The creditor to whom you owe the debt Check all schedules that apply:	
	Christopher V. Pratola 670 Regal Lane Algonquin, IL 60102	☐ Schedule D, line	
		Schedule E/F, line 4.4	
		☐ Schedule G	
		Aes/nct	
3.5	Christopher V. Pratola	☐ Schedule D, line	
	670 Regal Lane Algonquin, IL 60102	■ Schedule E/F, line4.5	
	Algoriquin, IL 60 102	☐ Schedule G	
		Aes/nct	

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	otor 1 Benjimen J				
	otor 2 Cherlyn A F	ratola			
Uni	ted States Bankruptcy Court for the	e: NORTHERN DISTRIC	CT OF ILLINOIS		
	se number nown)		-		<del></del>
0	fficial Form 106l			MM / DD/	YYYYY
S	chedule I: Your Inc	ome			12/15
atta	Describe Employment  Fill in your employment		onal pages, write your name an	d case number (i	f known). Answer every question
	information.		Debtor 1		2 or non-filing spouse
	If you have more than one job, attach a separate page with information about additional	Employment status	<ul><li>■ Employed</li><li>□ Not employed</li></ul>	□ Em <sub>l</sub> ■ Not	employed
	employers.	Occupation	<b>Butcher / Meat Cutter</b>		
	Include part-time, seasonal, or self-employed work.	Employer's name	Jewel Food Stores		
	Occupation may include student or homemaker, if it applies.	Employer's address	4320 W. Thunderbird Glendale, AZ 85306		
		How long employed t	here? 51 years		
Pai	t 2: Give Details About Mo	nthly Income			
	mate monthly income as of the duse unless you are separated.	ate you file this form. If	you have nothing to report for any	line, write \$0 in th	ne space. Include your non-filing
•	u or your non-filing spouse have m e space, attach a separate sheet to		ombine the information for all empl	oyers for that per	son on the lines below. If you need
				For Debtor 1	For Debtor 2 or

**List monthly gross wages, salary, and commissions** (before all payroll deductions). If not paid monthly, calculate what the monthly wage would be.

- Estimate and list monthly overtime pay.
- Calculate gross Income. Add line 2 + line 3.

			non-fi	iling spouse
2.	\$	4,277.87	\$	0.00
3.	+\$	0.00	+\$	0.00
4.	\$	4,277.87	\$_	0.00

Official Form 106I Schedule I: Your Income page 1

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Debt Debt		Benjimen J Pratola, Sr. Cherlyn A Pratola	_	(	Case	e number (if known)	_				
					Fo	r Debtor 1			Debtor :	2 or pouse	
	Cop	by line 4 here	4.		\$_	4,277.87	_	\$		0.00	_
5.	List	all payroll deductions:									
	5a.	Tax, Medicare, and Social Security deductions	5a	à.	\$	590.63		\$		0.00	)
	5b.	Mandatory contributions for retirement plans	5b	).	\$	0.00	_	\$		0.00	
	5c.	Voluntary contributions for retirement plans	50	<b>)</b> .	\$	184.69	-	\$		0.00	)
	5d.	Required repayments of retirement fund loans	50	d.	\$	427.79	_	\$		0.00	)
	5e.	Insurance	56		\$_	197.30	_	\$		0.00	
	5f.	Domestic support obligations	5f		\$_	0.00	_	\$		0.00	
	5g.	Union dues	50		\$_	0.00	_	\$		0.00	
_	5h.		_	1.+	\$_ •	0.00	_	. —		0.00	_
6.		d the payroll deductions. Add lines 5a+5b+5c+5d+5e+5f+5g+5h.	6.		\$ _	1,400.41	_	\$		0.00	_
7.	Cal	culate total monthly take-home pay. Subtract line 6 from line 4.	7.		\$_	2,877.46	_	\$		0.00	<u>)                                    </u>
8.	List 8a.	profession, or farm Attach a statement for each property and business showing gross receipts, ordinary and necessary business expenses, and the total			•			•			
	٥L	monthly net income.  Interest and dividends	88		\$_ \$	500.00	_	\$		0.00	
	8b. 8c.	Family support payments that you, a non-filing spouse, or a dependent regularly receive Include alimony, spousal support, child support, maintenance, divorce			· –	0.00	_	·		0.00	_
	8d.	settlement, and property settlement.  Unemployment compensation	8c 8c		\$_ \$	0.00 0.00	_	\$		0.00	_
	8e.		86		\$ _	2,080.00	_	\$		205.00	
	8f. 8g.	Other government assistance that you regularly receive Include cash assistance and the value (if known) of any non-cash assistance that you receive, such as food stamps (benefits under the Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program) or housing subsidies.  Specify:  Pension or retirement income			\$_ \$_	0.00		\$ 		0.00	<u> </u>
	8h.	Other monthly income. Specify:	8h	1.+	\$_	0.00	_ +	\$		0.00	)
9.	Add	d all other income. Add lines 8a+8b+8c+8d+8e+8f+8g+8h.	9.	;	\$	2,580.00	]	\$	1	,205.0	00
10	Cal	culate monthly income. Add line 7 + line 9.	10.	\$		5,457.46 +		1 20	05.00	= \$	6,662.46
10.		I the entries in line 10 for Debtor 1 and Debtor 2 or non-filing spouse.	10.	Ψ_		3,437.40	_	1,20	,5.00	- Ψ -	0,002.40
11.	Incl othe Do	te all other regular contributions to the expenses that you list in <i>Schedule</i> ude contributions from an unmarried partner, members of your household, your er friends or relatives.  not include any amounts already included in lines 2-10 or amounts that are not ecify:	r depe						chedule 11.		0.00
12.		the amount in the last column of line 10 to the amount in line 11. The restet that amount on the Summary of Schedules and Statistical Summary of Certailies							12.	\$	6,662.46
13.	Do	you expect an increase or decrease within the year after you file this form No.	1?							Combi month	ined ly income
	П	Yes Explain:									

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Filli	in this informa	tion to identify yo	our case:					
Deb	tor 1	Benjimen J F	Pratola. S	ir.		Che	eck if this is:	
Deb	tor 2	Cherlyn A Pr						wing postpetition chapter
(Spc	ouse, if filing)						13 expenses as of	the following date:
Unite	ed States Bankr	uptcy Court for the	: NORTH	ERN DISTRICT OF ILLIN	OIS		MM / DD / YYYY	
1	e number nown)							
Of	fficial Fo	rm 106J						
Sc	chedule	J: Your I	Expen	ses				12/1
Be a	as complete a	and accurate as	possible.	If two married people ar ch another sheet to this				
Part		ibe Your House	hold					
1.	Is this a joir							
	□ No. Go to							
		s Debtor 2 live i	in a separa	ate household?				
	■ N □ Y		st file Officia	al Form 106J-2, <i>Expenses</i>	for Separate House	ehold of De	btor 2.	
2.	Do you have	e dependents?	■ No					
	Do not list D Debtor 2.	ebtor 1 and	☐ Yes.	Fill out this information for each dependent	Dependent's relati Debtor 1 or Debto		Dependent's age	Does dependent live with you?
	Do not state	the						□ No
	dependents	names.						Yes
								□ No
							_	☐ Yes ☐ No
								☐ Yes
								□ No
								☐ Yes
3.		penses include f people other tl	han 🔳	No				
		d your depende		Yes				
Part	t 2: Estim	ate Your Ongoi	na Monthi	v Expenses				
Esti exp	imate your ex	penses as of yo	our bankrı	iptcy filing date unless y	ou are using this followed	orm as a s e <i>J</i> , check	supplement in a Ch the box at the top o	apter 13 case to report of the form and fill in the
Incl	ude expense	s paid for with r	non-cash o	government assistance i	f you know			
the		h assistance an		luded it on Schedule I: \			Your exp	penses
4.		or home owners		ses for your residence. I	nclude first mortgag	e 4.	\$	1,689.90
	If not includ	led in line 4:						
						4 -	<b>c</b>	0.00
		estate taxes rty, homeowner's	or renter	s insurance		4a. 4b.	·	0.00 185.00
		maintenance, re				4c.	· ———	150.00
		owner's associat				4d.	\$	0.00
5.	Additional r	mortgage payme	ents for yo	our residence, such as ho	me equity loans	5.	\$	0.00

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ebtor	•	, Sr.		((1)	
ebtor)	2 Cherlyn A Pratola		Case numb	er (if known)	
6. <b>U</b> f	tilities:				
68		gas	6a.	\$	270.00
6b	. Water, sewer, garbage	collection	6b.	\$	232.00
60	. Telephone, cell phone,	Internet, satellite, and cable services	6c.	\$	465.00
60	d. Other. Specify:		6d.	\$	0.00
. Fo	ood and housekeeping su	pplies	7.	\$	700.00
C	hildcare and children's ed	ucation costs	8.	\$	0.00
. C	othing, laundry, and dry o	leaning	9.	\$	100.00
). <b>P</b> (	ersonal care products and	services	10.	\$	195.00
1. <b>M</b>	edical and dental expense	es	11.	\$	313.00
		maintenance, bus or train fare.	40	•	250.00
	o not include car payments.			\$	350.00
		ation, newspapers, magazines, and books		\$	100.00
	haritable contributions an	d religious donations	14.	\$	90.00
	surance.	usted from your pay or included in lines 4 or '	20		
	o not include insurance ded 5a. Life insurance	ucted from your pay or included in lines 4 or 2	20. 15a.	\$	126.00
	5b. Health insurance		15a. 15b.	·	0.00
	5c. Vehicle insurance			\$	355.00
	d. Other insurance. Specification	r		\$	0.00
		deducted from your pay or included in lines 4		Ψ	0.00
	pecify:	icadeted from your pay or included in lines 4	16.	\$	0.00
	stallment or lease paymer	nts:		•	0.00
	a. Car payments for Vehic		17a.	\$	628.00
17	b. Car payments for Vehic	de 2	17b.	\$	163.00
17	c. Other. Specify:		17c.	\$	0.00
17	d. Other. Specify:		17d.	\$	0.00
8. <b>Y</b> e	our payments of alimony,	maintenance, and support that you did no	t report as	_	
		line 5, Schedule I, Your Income (Official F		*	0.00
		o support others who do not live with you		\$	0.00
	pecify:	and to be dead to the and a first the form	19.		
	t <b>ner reat property expense</b> Da. Mortgages on other pro	es not included in lines 4 or 5 of this form	or on <i>Schedule I: Yol</i> 20a.		0.00
	Db. Real estate taxes	perty	20a. 20b.	·	0.00
	oc. Property, homeowner's	or rontor's incurance	20b. 20c.	•	
	od. Maintenance, repair, ar			\$ 	0.00 0.00
	d. Maintenance, repair, ai De. Homeowner's associati			\$ \$	0.00
			21.		
ı. U	ther: Specify: Parent P	lus Student Ioan	21.	+Ф	300.00
	alculate your monthly exp	enses			
	2a. Add lines 4 through 21.			\$	6,411.90
22	2b. Copy line 22 (monthly ex	spenses for Debtor 2), if any, from Official For	m 106J-2	\$	
22	c. Add line 22a and 22b. T	he result is your monthly expenses.		\$	6,411.90
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	alculate your monthly net	income.  bined monthly income) from Schedule I.	23a.	¢	6 660 46
	Bb. Copy line 12 (your cont Bb. Copy your monthly exp	,	23a. 23b.	·	6,662.46 6,411.90
23	bb. Copy your monthly exp	choco nom ime ZZC above.	∠3D. _	-φ	0,411.90
25	Bc. Subtract your monthly a	expenses from your monthly income.			
20	The result is your mont		23c.	\$	250.56
	,		_		
		or decrease in your expenses within the ye			
	or example, do you expect to fin addification to the terms of your r	ish paying for your car loan within the year or do you	u expect your mortgage pa	ayment to increase	or decrease because of a
		iongago:			
	No.				
ᆫ	Yes. Explain her	<del>)</del> :			

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Debtor 1	Benjimen J Prato			
Dahtan O	First Name	Middle Name	Last Name	
Debtor 2 (Spouse if, filing)	Cherlyn A Pratola	Middle Name	Last Name	
United States Ba	sankruptcy Court for the:	NORTHERN DISTR	ICT OF ILLINOIS	
Case number				
(if known)				☐ Check if this is an
				amended filing
Official For	m 106Dec			
Declarat	tion About a	n Individu	al Debtor's Schedu	les 12/15
btaining mone		n connection with a k		false statement, concealing property, or to \$250,000, or imprisonment for up to 20
btaining mone ears, or both. 1	ey or property by fraud i	n connection with a k		
btaining mone ears, or both. 1 Sig	ey or property by fraud i 18 U.S.C. §§ 152, 1341, 1 gn Below	n connection with a k 519, and 3571.	ankruptcy case can result in fines up t	to \$250,000, or imprisonment for up to 20
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	First Name	Middle Name	Last Name		
Debtor 2 (Spouse if, filing)	Cherlyn A Pratola	Middle Name	Last Name		
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		nkruptcy Court for the:	NORTHERN DISTRICT (	OF ILLINOIS		
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		ore space is needed, n). Answer every ques		this form. On the top of any	y additional pages, write you	ir name and case
Part 1	Give D	etails About Your Ma	rital Status and Where You	Lived Before		
1. W	hat is you	current marital statu	s?			
	Married Not mar	ried				
2. D	uring the la	ast 3 years, have you	lived anywhere other than	where you live now?		
	No Yes. Lis	t all of the places you li	ived in the last 3 years. Do no	ot include where you live now	<i>ı</i> .	
	Debtor 1 Pr	ior Address:	Dates Debtor 1 lived there	Debtor 2 Prior Ad	dress:	Dates Debtor 2 lived there
					ity property state or territory ico, Texas, Washington and W	
	No Yes. Ma	ke sure you fill out <i>Sch</i>	nedule H: Your Codebtors (O	fficial Form 106H).		
Part 2	Explai	n the Sources of You	r Income			
Fi	II in the tota	I amount of income you	u received from all jobs and a	g a business during this yeall businesses, including parterogether, list it only once ur		ndar years?
	l No					
	Yes. Fill	in the details.				
			Debtor 1		Debtor 2	
			Sources of income Check all that apply.	Gross income (before deductions and exclusions)	Sources of income Check all that apply.	Gross income (before deductions and exclusions)
		of current year until d for bankruptcy:	■ Wages, commissions, bonuses, tips	\$20,281.00	☐ Wages, commissions, bonuses, tips	\$0.00
			☐ Operating a business		☐ Operating a business	

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Debtor 2 Cherlyn A Pratola

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Case Cherlyn A Pratola

Case number (if known)

	Debtor 1		Debtor 2	
	Sources of income Check all that apply.	Gross income (before deductions and exclusions)	Sources of income Check all that apply.	Gross income (before deductions and exclusions)
For last calendar year: (January 1 to December 31, 2017)	■ Wages, commissions, bonuses, tips	\$55,871.00	☐ Wages, commissions, bonuses, tips	\$0.00
	☐ Operating a business		☐ Operating a business	
For the calendar year before that: (January 1 to December 31, 2016)	■ Wages, commissions, bonuses, tips	\$58,758.00	☐ Wages, commissions, bonuses, tips	\$0.00
	☐ Operating a business		☐ Operating a business	
<ul> <li>Did you receive any other income Include income regardless of wheth and other public benefit payments; winnings. If you are filing a joint cas List each source and the gross inco</li> <li>No</li> <li>Yes. Fill in the details.</li> </ul>	er that income is taxable. Expensions; rental income; interest and you have income that y	amples of other income are al rest; dividends; money collect you received together, list it of	ted from lawsuits; royalties; an nly once under Debtor 1.	ecurity, unemployment, d gambling and lottery
	Debtor 1		Debtor 2	
	Sources of income Describe below.	Gross income from each source (before deductions and exclusions)	Sources of income Describe below.	Gross income (before deductions and exclusions)
From January 1 of current year until the date you filed for bankruptcy:	Social Security Benefits	\$8,320.00	Social Security Benefits	\$4,820.00
For last calendar year: (January 1 to December 31, 2017)	Social Security Benefits	\$24,713.00	Social Security Benefits	\$18,643.00
	cash-out IRA	\$33,750.00		
	cash-out pension benefits	\$12,135.00		
For the calendar year before that: (January 1 to December 31, 2016 )	Social Security Benefits	\$26,168.00	Social Security Benefits	\$19,740.00
Part 3: List Certain Payments You	Made Refere You Filed for	Ponkruntov		
Part 3: List Certain Payments You	Made before fou riled for	Банктирісу		
		umer debts. Consumer debts	s are defined in 11 U.S.C. § 10	1(8) as "incurred by an
During the 90 days before	re you filed for bankruptcv. di	id you pay any creditor a total	of \$6,425* or more?	
☐ No. Go to line 7.		, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,	. ,	
☐ Yes List below e paid that cre		nts for domestic support obliga	n one or more payments and the ations, such as child support a	

\* Subject to adjustment on 4/01/19 and every 3 years after that for cases filed on or after the date of adjustment.

Statement of Financial Affairs for Individuals Filing for Bankruptcy

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12. Within 1 year before you filed for bankruptcy, was any of your property in the possession of an assignee for the benefit of creditors, a court-appointed receiver, a custodian, or another official?

No

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De	otor 2 Cherlyn A Pratola	Case number	(if known)	
Pai	t 5: List Certain Gifts and Contributions			
3.	Within 2 years before you filed for bankruptcy  ■ No □ Yes. Fill in the details for each gift.	, did you give any gifts with a total value of more t	han \$600 per person <sup>•</sup>	?
	Gifts with a total value of more than \$600 per person	Describe the gifts	Dates you gave the gifts	Value
	Person to Whom You Gave the Gift and Address:			
14.	■ No	, did you give any gifts or contributions with a tota	al value of more than	\$600 to any charity?
	Yes. Fill in the details for each gift or contrib		Datas	Value
	Gifts or contributions to charities that total more than \$600 Charity's Name Address (Number, Street, City, State and ZIP Code)	Describe what you contributed	Dates you contributed	Value
Pai	rt 6: List Certain Losses			
15.	Within 1 year before you filed for bankruptcy	or since you filed for bankruptcy, did you lose any	thing because of thef	t, fire, other disaster
	or gambling?		_	
	■ No			
	☐ Yes. Fill in the details.			
		cribe any insurance coverage for the loss	Date of your	Value of property
		de the amount that insurance has paid. List pending rance claims on line 33 of Schedule A/B: Property.	loss	lost
Pai	rt 7: List Certain Payments or Transfers			
16.	consulted about seeking bankruptcy or prepa	did you or anyone else acting on your behalf pay ouring a bankruptcy petition? ers, or credit counseling agencies for services require		rty to anyone you
	□ No			
	Yes. Fill in the details.			
	Person Who Was Paid	Description and value of any property	Date payment	Amount of
	Address Email or website address Person Who Made the Payment, if Not You	transferred	or transfer was made	payment
	Derrick B. Hager, P.C. 245 W. Roosevelt Rd. Building 15, Suite 119 West Chicago, IL 60185	attorney fees, court filing fee, credit report	April 26	\$1,901.00
17	Within 1 year before you filed for bent	did you or anyone also acting on your behalf now	or transfor any pro-	rty to anyone who
17.	promised to help you deal with your creditors Do not include any payment or transfer that you I		or transfer any prope	rty to anyone who
	No			
	Yes. Fill in the details.			
	Person Who Was Paid Address	Description and value of any property transferred	Date payment or transfer was made	Amount of payment

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18.	Within 2 years before you filed for bankrupto transferred in the ordinary course of your bu include both outright transfers and transfers may include gifts and transfers that you have already  No  Yes. Fill in the details.	isiness or financial affa de as security (such as t	i <b>irs?</b> he granting of a se			
	Person Who Received Transfer Address  Person's relationship to you	Description and v property transferr			y property or eceived or debts nange	Date transfer was made
<ul> <li>19. Within 10 years before you filed for bankruptcy, did you transfer any property to a self-settled beneficiary? (These are often called asset-protection devices.)</li> <li>No</li> <li>Yes. Fill in the details.</li> </ul>					t or similar device o	f which you are a
	Name of trust	Description and v	alue of the prope	rty transferred	I	Date Transfer was made
	Within 1 year before you filed for bankruptcy sold, moved, or transferred? Include checking, savings, money market, or houses, pension funds, cooperatives, association No	, were any financial ac	counts or instrum	nents held in y	•	, ,
	Name of Financial Institution and Address (Number, Street, City, State and ZIP Code)	Last 4 digits of account number	Type of account instrument	clos	account was ed, sold, ed, or sferred	Last balance before closing or transfer
21.	Do you now have, or did you have within 1 yo cash, or other valuables?  No Yes. Fill in the details.  Name of Financial Institution	ear before you filed for  Who else had acc		safe deposit be safe deposit be safe deposit by the safe d		ory for securities,  Do you still
	Address (Number, Street, City, State and ZIP Code)	Address (Number, State and ZIP Code)	treet, City,			have it?
22.	Have you stored property in a storage unit of  No Yes. Fill in the details.	r place other than your	home within 1 ye	ear before you	filed for bankruptcy	?
	Name of Storage Facility Address (Number, Street, City, State and ZIP Code)	Who else has or h to it? Address (Number, State and ZIP Code)		escribe the co	ontents	Do you still have it?
Par	t 9: Identify Property You Hold or Control f	for Someone Else				
23.	Do you hold or control any property that son for someone.  No Yes. Fill in the details.	neone else owns? Inclu	ide any property	you borrowed	from, are storing fo	r, or hold in trust
	Owner's Name Address (Number, Street, City, State and ZIP Code)	Where is the prop (Number, Street, City, S Code)		escribe the pr	operty	Value
	t 10: Give Details About Environmental Info	rmation				

Environmental law means any federal, state, or local statute or regulation concerning pollution, contamination, releases of hazardous or Statement of Financial Affairs for Individuals Filing for Bankruptcy

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	toxic substances, wastes, or material into the regulations controlling the cleanup of these su		water, or other medium, including st	tatutes or				
	Site means any location, facility, or property as to own, operate, or utilize it, including disposa		aw, whether you now own, operate,	or utilize it or used				
	Hazardous material means anything an environmental law defines as a hazardous waste, hazardous substance, toxic substance, hazardous material, pollutant, contaminant, or similar term.							
Rep	ort all notices, releases, and proceedings that y	you know about, regardless of when	they occurred.					
24.	Has any governmental unit notified you that yo	ou may be liable or potentially liable	under or in violation of an environm	ental law?				
	■ No							
	Yes. Fill in the details.							
	Name of site Address (Number, Street, City, State and ZIP Code)	Governmental unit Address (Number, Street, City, State and ZIP Code)	Environmental law, if you know it	Date of notice				
25.	Have you notified any governmental unit of an	y release of hazardous material?						
	■ No □ Yes. Fill in the details.							
	Name of site Address (Number, Street, City, State and ZIP Code)	Governmental unit Address (Number, Street, City, State and ZIP Code)	Environmental law, if you know it	Date of notice				
26.	Have you been a party in any judicial or admin	istrative proceeding under any envir	onmental law? Include settlements	and orders.				
	■ No							
	Yes. Fill in the details.							
	Case Title Case Number	Court or agency Name Address (Number, Street, City, State and ZIP Code)	Nature of the case	Status of the case				
Par	t 11: Give Details About Your Business or Co	nnections to Any Business						
27	Within 4 years before you filed for bankruptcy	did you own a business or have any	y of the following connections to an	v husiness?				
	Within 4 years before you filed for bankruptcy, did you own a business or have any of the following connections to any business?   A sole proprietor or self-employed in a trade, profession, or other activity, either full-time or part-time							
	☐ A sole proprietor of self-employed in a trade, profession, or other activity, entire run-time or part-time							
	☐ A partner in a partnership							
	☐ An officer, director, or managing exect	utive of a corporation						
	☐ An owner of at least 5% of the voting or equity securities of a corporation							
	■ No. None of the above applies. Go to Par	t 12.						
	Yes. Check all that apply above and fill in							
		escribe the nature of the business	Employer Identification numbe	r				
	Address (Number, Street, City, State and ZIP Code)	lame of accountant or bookkeeper	Do not include Social Security  Dates business existed	number or ITIN.				
28.	Within 2 years before you filed for bankruptcy,	, did you give a financial statement to		ude all financial				

Part 12: Sign Below

**Date Issued** 

Name

Address

institutions, creditors, or other parties.

☐ Yes. Fill in the details below.

(Number, Street, City, State and ZIP Code)

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☐ Yes. Name of Person \_\_\_\_\_. Attach the Bankruptcy Petition Preparer's Notice, Declaration, and Signature (Official Form 119).

# Notice Required by 11 U.S.C. § 342(b) for Individuals Filing for Bankruptcy (Form 2010)

#### This notice is for you if:

You are an individual filing for bankruptcy, and

Your debts are primarily consumer debts. Consumer debts are defined in 11 U.S.C. § 101(8) as "incurred by an individual primarily for a personal, family, or household purpose."

### The types of bankruptcy that are available to individuals

Individuals who meet the qualifications may file under one of four different chapters of Bankruptcy Code:

Chapter 7 - Liquidation

Chapter 11 - Reorganization

Chapter 12 - Voluntary repayment plan for family farmers or fishermen

Chapter 13 - Voluntary repayment plan for individuals with regular income

You should have an attorney review your decision to file for bankruptcy and the choice of chapter.

Chapter 7:	Liquidation
\$245	filing fee
\$75	administrative fee
+ \$15	trustee surcharge
\$335	total fee

Chapter 7 is for individuals who have financial difficulty preventing them from paying their debts and who are willing to allow their nonexempt property to be used to pay their creditors. The primary purpose of filing under chapter 7 is to have your debts discharged. The bankruptcy discharge relieves you after bankruptcy from having to pay many of your pre-bankruptcy debts. Exceptions exist for particular debts, and liens on property may still be enforced after discharge. For example, a creditor may have the right to foreclose a home mortgage or repossess an automobile.

However, if the court finds that you have committed certain kinds of improper conduct described in the Bankruptcy Code, the court may deny your discharge.

You should know that even if you file chapter 7 and you receive a discharge, some debts are not discharged under the law. Therefore, you may still be responsible to pay:

most taxes;

most student loans;

domestic support and property settlement obligations;

most fines, penalties, forfeitures, and criminal restitution obligations; and

certain debts that are not listed in your bankruptcy papers.

You may also be required to pay debts arising from:

fraud or theft;

fraud or defalcation while acting in breach of fiduciary capacity;

intentional injuries that you inflicted; and

death or personal injury caused by operating a motor vehicle, vessel, or aircraft while intoxicated from alcohol or drugs.

If your debts are primarily consumer debts, the court can dismiss your chapter 7 case if it finds that you have enough income to repay creditors a certain amount. You must file *Chapter 7 Statement of Your Current Monthly Income* (Official Form 122A–1) if you are an individual filing for bankruptcy under chapter 7. This form will determine your current monthly income and compare whether your income is more than the median income that applies in your state.

If your income is not above the median for your state, you will not have to complete the other chapter 7 form, the *Chapter 7 Means Test Calculation* (Official Form 122A–2).

If your income is above the median for your state, you must file a second form —the *Chapter 7 Means Test Calculation* (Official Form 122A–2). The calculations on the form— sometimes called the *Means Test*—deduct from your income living expenses and payments on certain debts to determine any amount available to pay unsecured creditors. If

your income is more than the median income for your state of residence and family size, depending on the results of the *Means Test*, the U.S. trustee, bankruptcy administrator, or creditors can file a motion to dismiss your case under § 707(b) of the Bankruptcy Code. If a motion is filed, the court will decide if your case should be dismissed. To avoid dismissal, you may choose to proceed under another chapter of the Bankruptcy Code.

If you are an individual filing for chapter 7 bankruptcy, the trustee may sell your property to pay your debts, subject to your right to exempt the property or a portion of the proceeds from the sale of the property. The property, and the proceeds from property that your bankruptcy trustee sells or liquidates that you are entitled to, is called *exempt property*. Exemptions may enable you to keep your home, a car, clothing, and household items or to receive some of the proceeds if the property is sold.

Exemptions are not automatic. To exempt property, you must list it on *Schedule C: The Property You Claim as Exempt* (Official Form 106C). If you do not list the property, the trustee may sell it and pay all of the proceeds to your creditors.

#### **Chapter 11: Reorganization**

\$1,167 filing fee

+ \$550 administrative fee

\$1,717 total fee

Chapter 11 is often used for reorganizing a business, but is also available to individuals. The provisions of chapter 11 are too complicated to summarize briefly.

#### **Read These Important Warnings**

Because bankruptcy can have serious long-term financial and legal consequences, including loss of your property, you should hire an attorney and carefully consider all of your options before you file. Only an attorney can give you legal advice about what can happen as a result of filing for bankruptcy and what your options are. If you do file for bankruptcy, an attorney can help you fill out the forms properly and protect you, your family, your home, and your possessions.

Although the law allows you to represent yourself in bankruptcy court, you should understand that many people find it difficult to represent themselves successfully. The rules are technical, and a mistake or inaction may harm you. If you file without an attorney, you are still responsible for knowing and following all of the legal requirements.

You should not file for bankruptcy if you are not eligible to file or if you do not intend to file the necessary documents.

Bankruptcy fraud is a serious crime; you could be fined and imprisoned if you commit fraud in your bankruptcy case. Making a false statement, concealing property, or obtaining money or property by fraud in connection with a bankruptcy case can result in fines up to \$250,000, or imprisonment for up to 20 years, or both. 18 U.S.C. §§ 152, 1341, 1519, and 3571.

### Chapter 12: Repayment plan for family farmers or fishermen

	\$200	filing fee
+	\$75	administrative fee
	\$275	total fee

Similar to chapter 13, chapter 12 permits family farmers and fishermen to repay their debts over a period of time using future earnings and to discharge some debts that are not paid.

# Chapter 13: Repayment plan for individuals with regular income

	\$235	filing fee
+	\$75	administrative fee
	\$310	total fee

Chapter 13 is for individuals who have regular income and would like to pay all or part of their debts in installments over a period of time and to discharge some debts that are not paid. You are eligible for chapter 13 only if your debts are not more than certain dollar amounts set forth in 11 U.S.C. § 109.

Under chapter 13, you must file with the court a plan to repay your creditors all or part of the money that you owe them, usually using your future earnings. If the court approves your plan, the court will allow you to repay your debts, as adjusted by the plan, within 3 years or 5 years, depending on your income and other factors.

After you make all the payments under your plan, many of your debts are discharged. The debts that are not discharged and that you may still be responsible to pay include:

domestic support obligations,

most student loans,

certain taxes,

debts for fraud or theft,

debts for fraud or defalcation while acting in a fiduciary capacity,

most criminal fines and restitution obligations,

certain debts that are not listed in your bankruptcy papers,

certain debts for acts that caused death or personal injury, and

certain long-term secured debts.

#### Warning: File Your Forms on Time

Section 521(a)(1) of the Bankruptcy Code requires that you promptly file detailed information about your creditors, assets, liabilities, income, expenses and general financial condition. The court may dismiss your bankruptcy case if you do not file this information within the deadlines set by the Bankruptcy Code, the Bankruptcy Rules, and the local rules of the court.

For more information about the documents and their deadlines, go to: <a href="http://www.uscourts.gov/bkforms/bankruptcy\_forms.html#procedure">http://www.uscourts.gov/bkforms/bankruptcy\_forms.html#procedure</a>.

#### Bankruptcy crimes have serious consequences

If you knowingly and fraudulently conceal assets or make a false oath or statement under penalty of perjury—either orally or in writing—in connection with a bankruptcy case, you may be fined, imprisoned, or both.

All information you supply in connection with a bankruptcy case is subject to examination by the Attorney General acting through the Office of the U.S. Trustee, the Office of the U.S. Attorney, and other offices and employees of the U.S. Department of Justice.

#### Make sure the court has your mailing address

The bankruptcy court sends notices to the mailing address you list on *Voluntary Petition for Individuals Filing for Bankruptcy* (Official Form 101). To ensure that you receive information about your case, Bankruptcy Rule 4002 requires that you notify the court of any changes in your address.

A married couple may file a bankruptcy case together—called a *joint case*. If you file a joint case and each spouse lists the same mailing address on the bankruptcy petition, the bankruptcy court generally will mail you and your spouse one copy of each notice, unless you file a statement with the court asking that each spouse receive separate copies.

### Understand which services you could receive from credit counseling agencies

The law generally requires that you receive a credit counseling briefing from an approved credit counseling agency. 11 U.S.C. § 109(h). If you are filing a joint case, both spouses must receive the briefing. With limited exceptions, you must receive it within the 180 days *before* you file your bankruptcy petition. This briefing is usually conducted by telephone or on the Internet.

In addition, after filing a bankruptcy case, you generally must complete a financial management instructional course before you can receive a discharge. If you are filing a joint case, both spouses must complete the course.

You can obtain the list of agencies approved to provide both the briefing and the instructional course from: <a href="http://justice.gov/ust/eo/hapcpa/ccde/cc\_approved.html">http://justice.gov/ust/eo/hapcpa/ccde/cc\_approved.html</a>

In Alabama and North Carolina, go to: <a href="http://www.uscourts.gov/FederalCourts/Bankruptcy/BankruptcyResources/ApprovedCredit">http://www.uscourts.gov/FederalCourts/Bankruptcy/Bankruptcy/BankruptcyResources/ApprovedCredit</a> AndDebtCounselors.aspx.

If you do not have access to a computer, the clerk of the bankruptcy court may be able to help you obtain the list.

### UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT NORTHERN DISTRICT OF ILLINOIS

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The Bankruptcy Code may require a debtor's attorney to provide the debtor with certain documents and agreements at the start of the representation. The terms of this court-approved agreement take the place of any conflicting provision in an earlier agreement. This agreement cannot be modified in any way by other agreements. Any provision of another agreement between the debtor and the attorney that conflicts with this agreement is void.

#### A. BEFORE THE CASE IS FILED

#### THE DEBTOR AGREES TO:

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#### THE ATTORNEY AGREES TO:

- 1. Personally counsel the debtor regarding the advisability of filing either a Chapter 13 or a Chapter 7 case, discuss both procedures (as well as non-bankruptcy options) with the debtor, and answer the debtor's questions.
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- 3. Personally review with the debtor and sign the completed petition, plan, statements, and schedules, as well as all amendments thereto, whether filed with the petition or later. (The schedules may be initially prepared with the help of clerical or paralegal staff of the attorney's office, but personal attention of the attorney is required for the review and signing.)
- 4. Timely prepare and file the debtor's petition, plan, statements, and schedules.
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- 3. Provide knowledgeable legal representation for the debtor at the meeting of creditors (in time for check-in and the actual examination) and, unless excused by the trustee, for the confirmation hearing.
- 4. If the attorney will be employing another attorney to attend the 341 meeting or any court hearing, personally explain to the debtor, in advance, the role and identity of the other attorney and provide the other attorney with the file in sufficient time to review it and properly represent the debtor.
- 5. Timely submit to the Chapter 13 trustee properly documented proof of income for the debtor, including business reports for self-employed debtors.
- 6. Timely respond to objections to plan confirmation and, where necessary, prepare, file, and serve an amended plan.
- 7. Timely prepare, file, and serve any necessary statements, amended statements, and schedules and any change of address, in accordance with information provided by the debtor.
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- 9. Be available to respond to the debtor's questions throughout the term of the plan.
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- 17. Provide any other legal services necessary for the administration of the case.

### C. TERMINATION OR CONVERSION OF THE CASE AFTER ENTRY OF AN ORDER APPROVING FEES AND EXPENSES

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#### D. RETAINERS AND PREVIOUS PAYMENTS

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□The attorney seeks to have the retainer received by the attorney treated as an advance payment retainer, which allows the attorney to take the retainer into income immediately. The attorney hereby provides the following further information and representations:

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- (b) The retainer will not be held in a client trust account and will become property of the attorney upon payment and will be deposited into the attorney's general account;
- (c) The retainer is a flat fee for the services to be rendered during the Chapter 13 case and will be applied for such services without the need for the attorney to keep detailed hourly time records for the specific services performed for the debtor;

- (d) Any portion of the retainer that is not earned or required for expenses will be refunded to the client; and
- (e) The attorney is unwilling to represent the debtor without receiving an advanced payment retainer because of the nature of the Chapter 13 case, the fact that the great majority of services for such case are performed prior to its filing, and the risks associated with the representation of debtors in bankruptcy cases in general.
- 2. In any application for compensation, the attorney must disclose to the court any fees or other compensation paid by the debtor to the attorney for any reason within the one year before the case filing, including the date(s) any such fees were paid.

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- 2. *Improper conduct by the debtor*. If the attorney believes that the debtor is not complying with the debtor's responsibilities under this agreement or is otherwise engaging in improper conduct, the attorney may apply for a court order allowing the attorney to withdraw from the case.
- 3. Discharge of the attorney. The debtor may discharge the attorney at any time.

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#### F. ALLOWANCE AND PAYMENT OF ATTORNEYS' FEES AND EXPENSES

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Date: <u>May 11, 2018</u>	igno to appear in court to coject.	
Signed:		
/s/ Benjimen J Pratola, Sr.	/s/ Derrick B. Hager	
Benjimen J Pratola, Sr.	Derrick B. Hager 6286310	
	Attorney for the Debtor(s)	
/s/ Cherlyn A Pratola	•	
Cherlyn A Pratola		
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Date: May 11, 2018

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Derrick B. Hager 6286 10

Attorney for the Debtor(s)

Cherlyn A Pratola

Debtor(s)

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### **United States Bankruptcy Court Northern District of Illinois**

In re	Benjimen J Pratola, Sr. Cherlyn A Pratola		Case No.	
	Ononyn 71 Tutolu	Debtor(s)	Chapter	13
	DISCLOSURE OF COMP	ENSATION OF ATTO	RNEV FOR DE	TRTOR(S)
	Pursuant to 11 U.S.C. § 329(a) and Fed. Bankr. P. 20	016(b), I certify that I am the attorn	ney for the above nam	ned debtor(s) and that
	compensation paid to me within one year before the for rendered on behalf of the debtor(s) in contemplation			
	For legal services, I have agreed to accept		\$	4,000.00
	Prior to the filing of this statement I have receive			1,500.00
	Balance Due		\$	2,500.00
2. 1	The source of the compensation paid to me was:			
	■ Debtor □ Other (specify):			
3. 1	The source of compensation to be paid to me is:			
	☐ Debtor ☐ Other (specify): bala	ance of attorney fees to be pa	nid pro rata throug	h the Chapter 13 Plan
4. I	I have not agreed to share the above-disclosed co	mpensation with any other person	unless they are mem	bers and associates of my law firm.
I	☐ I have agreed to share the above-disclosed competed copy of the agreement, together with a list of the			
5. 1	In return for the above-disclosed fee, I have agreed to	o render legal service for all aspect	s of the bankruptcy c	ase, including:
	a. Analysis of the debtor's financial situation, and re			file a petition in bankruptcy;
	<ul> <li>Preparation and filing of any petition, schedules, s</li> <li>Representation of the debtor at the meeting of cree</li> </ul>			rings thereof;
d	I. [Other provisions as needed]  Negotiations with secured creditors t	o reduce to market value: ex	emntion planning	preparation and filing of
	reaffirmation agreements and applica 522(f)(2)(A) for avoidance of liens on	itions as needed; preparation	and filing of moti	ons pursuant to 11 USC
6. E	By agreement with the debtor(s), the above-disclosed	fee does not include the following	g service:	
		CERTIFICATION		
	certify that the foregoing is a complete statement of ankruptcy proceeding.	any agreement or arrangement for	payment to me for re	epresentation of the debtor(s) in
M	ay 11, 2018	/s/ Derrick B. Hag	jer	
Do	ate	<b>Derrick B. Hager</b> Signature of Attorne	6286310	
		Derrick b. Hager,	P.C.	
		245 W. Roosevel Building 15, Suite		
		West Chicago, IL	60185	
		630-587-7490 Fa dirkhager@sbcgl		

Name of law firm

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Date: May 2, 2018

Signed:

Benjimen J. Six

Benjimer J Pratola Sr.

Derrick B. Hager 6286310 Attorney for the Debtor(s)

Cherlyn A Pratola

Debtor(s)

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### **United States Bankruptcy Court** Northern District of Illinois

In re	Benjimen J Pratola, Sr. Cherlyn A Pratola		Case No.	
		Debtor(s)	Chapter 13	
	VER	RIFICATION OF CREDITOR M		
		Number of	Creditors:	31
	(our) knowledge.	nereby verifies that the list of credi	tors is true and correct to t	ne best of my
Date:	May 11, 2018	/s/ Benjimen J Pratola, Sr.		
		<b>Benjimen J Pratola, Sr.</b> Signature of Debtor		
Date:	May 11, 2018	/s/ Cherlyn A Pratola		
		Cherlyn A Pratola		
		Signature of Debtor		

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### United States Bankruptcy Court Northern District of Illinois

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	Ononym rational	Debtor(s)	Chapter	13
	VEI	RIFICATION OF CREDITOR MA	ATRIX	
		Number of (	Creditors:	31
	The above-named Debtor(s) l (our) knowledge.	hereby verifies that the list of credito	ors is true and co	orrect to the best of my
Date:	May 11, 2018	Benjimen J Pratola, 8r.	intelo =	5/2-
Date:	May 11, 2018	Signature of Debtor  Cherlyn A Pratola  Signature of Debtor	cutola	

Aes/nct Attn: Bankruptcy Dept Po Box 2461 Harrisburg, PA 17105

Bank of America 4909 Savarese Circle F11-908-01-50 Tampa, FL 33634

Best Buy Credit Card Services PO Box 790441 Saint Louis, MO 63179

BMO Harris Attn: Bankruptcy 770 N Water St Milwaukee, WI 53202

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